

Remember What We Fought For

Whatever hope we have for the future must rest on the belief that man, in his own lifetime, will not repeat very often in expensive error, that we will not repeat the errors made at Versailles and during the subsequent years which made Munich and the war possible.

When we return from war, we must remember that the silencing of the cannon does not guarantee the future, and that the struggle for peace still continues. In the post-war period, when hatred will still prevail and weariness will still linger, we must not justify a retreat into isolationist thinking by remembering the negative side of the war.

It is for affirmative reason we fight a war. It is for affirmative reasons we fight for a durable peace. Human freedom, as we have discovered, is no vague and hazy abstraction, but a dynamic and impelling force. War is the price we pay for freedom. It was so in the past; it is so in the present; and it will certainly be so in the future.

Plan, then, for international co-operation, but realize the consequences. Create, if you will, a League of Nations, but fight for a League of Nations that has teeth in it; and give to such a project your determination to make sacrifices, even if that means again to fly the bomber, even if it means again to fire the cannon.

The real and durable peace will never be achieved and maintained unless we remember what we fought for, unless we are willing to fight for it again. To hold to this belief in the face of war and in the presence of victory will be a terrific task, but we must face it. It is the only way we shall avoid becoming another "Lost Generation." It is the only way we shall safeguard our future, the future of Canada.

In Parliament a Vancouver member who asked "Where is Toronto?" was told "It's a place just east of Vancouver." Sure! But—where's Vancouver?

Call For C.W.A.C.'s

The doubts originally held about the value of a women's organization for doing jobs in the army have now given place to worries about securing all that could be used to replace men. That was the important purpose behind the Canadian Women's Army Corps, to release for the fighting front many men who were engaged in a great variety of work that young women, who were fit, could do as well. The ability to fulfil that purpose has been fully demonstrated.

The 17,000 members of the C.W.A.C. have released enough men for an army division, and the young women in their uniforms, whom we see about the city, may well be proud that they are rendering a service of truly great value to Canada's war effort.

There is an appeal now for 5,000 more recruits, who will serve chiefly as stenographers, clerks, drivers and cooks. They are wanted by June 15th. Girls who are otherwise suitable will be trained for these jobs. The appeal is to every eligible woman not now usefully employed.

Many of the C.W.A.C.'s have already gone overseas, where they have been serving with the Canadian Army in Britain. They will soon follow our army across into Europe, for they are to go into the rear theatres of operations. The nursing sisters, of course, always serve in the danger zone. The C.W.A.C.'s will render a similar service to that of the women in the British Army, and that of the United States Women's Auxiliary Corps.

The importance of the Canadian Women's Corps, as indicated above, is not only in the value of the work which they perform themselves, which is real enough, but in the greater value of the service rendered by the men who are released for the fighting front. The women are needed to release men not only for the fighting units going forward, but also to replace men who fall in action. The C.W.A.C. thus strengthens the front line, and its service should attract many more Canadian young women.

Politics make strange bedfellows. Last week the Communists announced their support of the C.C.F. in Saskatchewan, while in Quebec Henri Bourassa also pronounced his benediction, urging his anti-war cohorts to vote C.C.F. in those places where the Bloc Populaire has no candidate. The C.C.F. bed is getting pretty crowded, but there is probably still room for the Social Crediters.

Canada Stands Ready

On the eve of the attack on the Nazi fortress from the west, in which the Canadian forces will play an important part, Canadians at home can review their preparations for that great day with some satisfaction, though not with self-praise, because whatever may be achieved in Canada will surely be far less than our men will achieve and endure in the fighting zones. They have acquitted themselves splendidly in the first chapter of the war, and in the second and greater chapter that is about to open, they will do all that is expected of them. In that, we at home have complete confidence.

Here in Canada, as we wait the climax in Europe, there is steadiness and the most solid backing of our forces overseas. For their success, the most fervid and heartfelt wishes will be constantly going forth.

It was to establish the basis for the mighty efforts of our men in the fields of combat, that the preparations have long been made in Canada; preparations for such great events as are now pending. The men have been trained and sent forward for the three services. A vast amount of fighting equipment has been procured for our forces and for our Allies. There are large numbers of reinforcements overseas for our army divisions that will go into Western Europe, and for the divisions now in Italy, but as the situation develops more reinforcements will be sent overseas as required.

Many wounded men are now coming back. After hospital treatment they will receive training to help them return to civilian life. These men have played their heroic parts, and they will follow with the deepest interest the fortunes of the units to which they belonged.

Have Canadians been putting their full weight behind the Allied Cause? The answer is in the extremely heavy taxation on all the people, borne practically without complaint, and in the truly national response to the Victory Loan campaigns. An economic stability has also been maintained in the country, which has supported a war effort much greater than would have been possible without it. But for the steps taken by the Government to prevent inflation and the loyal co-operation of the great majority of the people, there would have been confusion in the country and a general weakening of Canada's part in the war.

The oncoming danger was clearly seen by our Government and prompt and effective measures were adopted. The ceilings on prices and wages also would not have been enough. The reduction of the greatly increased purchasing power of the country, through taxation and war loans, was a vitally important factor in warding off inflation.

The way in which food production has been stepped up in spite of the manpower shortage is exceedingly creditable to the agricultural population. They regard their work as a war service and the result has been most valuable. The spirit of all our people is shown in their voluntary contributions of well over eleven million dollars to the Canadian Red Cross and the relief funds for those in distress in Allied countries.

Canadians at home have, thus, stood strongly behind the war effort. They know that this really means standing behind the men who, at whatever cost to themselves, will make victory sure. Our fighting men expect tremendous difficulties and dangers of the worst kind, but they are going resolutely forward to smash the enemy defences and to restore the freedom of the world. While we have firm confidence in the final result, we know the extremely formidable task ahead of our men. They need the solid backing of all of us at home, and they will undoubtedly have it in this supreme hour.

RAILWAYMEN DISCUSS FRUIT HANDLING

Believe Adequate Facilities Available To Handle Coming Large Crop

BAILLIE HERE

Will Proceed With Osoyoos Extension As Soon As Parliament Gives Approval

Plans for the handling of the Okanagan Valley's heaviest fruit crop were discussed on Saturday by officials of B. C. Tree Fruits Ltd. and a group of Canadian Pacific Railway officials headed by George H. Baillie, Vancouver, General Superintendent of the British Columbia district. Whatever other factors may influence successful marketing of the crop, Mr. Baillie gave assurance that growers would have full co-operation of the railway in shipping their produce to Canadian and foreign markets.

The situation regarding refrigerator or "reefer" cars was discussed, and Mr. Baillie stated that he could see no reason why a normal supply of these cars could not be available for Okanagan produce. He did point out, however, that should the Transport Controller rule that these cars must be used to rush meats, for instance, to seaboard points, or other perishable commodities, this might affect the number of cars available for the servicing of this district.

Over this, he emphasized, the railway has no control, as it must follow the directions of the Controller. The situation revealed that the Canadian Pacific is ready to proceed with construction of the Osoyoos branch line the moment that final approval is granted by the Dominion Parliament. This line, which would be a half mile stretch from end of steel at Haynes to Osoyoos will provide new service for the rich fruit lands in the Osoyoos Valley. Oliver district, noted for its cantaloupes, peaches, apples, apricots, cherries and other crops. The great carload increase in all crops within the past several years is indicative of the growing importance of the district.

The construction work will be proceeded with promptly once final approval is given and the contract is let. Mr. Baillie said, and it is hoped that the branch will be ready for this year's apple crop. Except for sidetrack construction, no particular difficulties are anticipated, according to surveys made years ago and repeated recently.

Mr. Baillie was accompanied by Vancouver by J. A. Walcott, Superintendent of Express, and C. Lester, Transportation Supervisor. J. L. Paley, Superintendent of the Pacific division, and A. Roy Evans, Superintendent of the Revelstoke division, were also present at the conference.

KELOWNA MAN COMMISSIONED

Sub-Lt. Fred Thompson Joined Canadian Navy Over A Year Ago

Fred Thompson, former manager of the Kelowna office of the Greyhound Lines Ltd. and well known aquatic star, has been commissioned as a sub-lieutenant in the Royal Canadian Navy.

He joined as a rating over a year ago, and has made quick time in his promotion from the "lower deck."

Sub-Lt. Thompson is slated for sea duty and hopes to visit Kelowna with his wife and family before joining his ship.

Labor Picture Eased As Reports Indicate Apple Yield Below Estimates

Thinning Can Be Handled By Local Workers As Record Crop Fails To Materialize—New Orchard Accommodation Will House Prairie Girls On Larger Orchards—Housewives And Part Time City Pickers Should Handle Balance—Students Go To Plants

THE Kelowna War Emergency Farm Labor Committee was all set for a series of headaches in connection with securing labor for the fruit thinning and picking this year, but part of the headache has been removed with the partial solving of the thinning problem by Mother Nature.

The set of the blossoms has not been as heavy as feared, and the drop now under way would indicate that the thinning problem will not be as serious as was expected.

On Tuesday J. R. J. Stirling told the directors of the B.C. F.G.A. that there was little anticipation of a serious labor shortage in the Kelowna area until the harvest season arrived.

Two weeks ago the Committee and grower representatives heard from Wm. MacGillivray, Emergency Farm Labor Director, that the labor situation at the coast was acute, with 12,000 jobs unfilled, and that women workers from Alberta offered the only hope of orchard labor. As a tremendous crop was expected, the picture looked pretty grim.

There are no indications that the crop will be small, but it is agreed that no records will be broken this year insofar as apples are concerned. This means that the labor situation still has a big job ahead to find pickers for the harvest next fall, but with the yield reduced, the organization can see daylight. Many growers have built accommodation for workers and will be able to secure girls from Alberta, and part time city pickers will be available for the smaller orchards.

Growers agree that the reduced crop is probably the best thing that could happen with the labor conditions as they are. Last winter

CONSUMER'S RATION COUPON CALENDAR

SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURSDAY	FRI	SAT
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4	5	6	7	8	9	10
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25	26	27	28	29	30	

On and after June 1st One Preserves Coupon = 24 fluid ounces Maple Syrup

Fruit Board Members Re-elected With Barrat Again Named Chairman

Annual Meeting Of Fruit Board Delegates Over In Almost Record Time As G. A. Barrat, Percy French And C. J. Huddleston Are Renamed To Serve Another Year—Eleventh Meeting Of Delegates—Growers Have Had Ballot Three Times In Ten Years

INDICATION of the happy conditions existing presently in the fruit industry, the work of the delegates to the B.C. Tree Fruit Board election meeting took just about one half hour on Tuesday morning. The principal business of the meeting was the election of the three members of the Tree Fruit Board, and the three previous members, G. A. Barrat, Percy French and C. J. Huddleston were elected without any opposition. Mr. Barrat was again selected as chairman.

The salaries of the members will be appointed auditors. In reply to a question, G. Barrat explained that the fund had not been spent during the past two years and the unexpended portion had been accumulated to meet the expenses which are anticipated during the long crop year. It is expected that a large program may be necessary this year.

Mr. Barrat also stated that a re-survey had been allowed to challenge the Board in the courts, and the Board would need sufficient funds to fight the case even to the Privy Council. For these reasons the surplus of the Board's income is based on a deduction per package. In 1943 the income was approximately \$100,000, but in 1944, due to the short crop, the income will fall to about \$65,000.

E. C. WEDDELL HEADS TORY ASSOCIATION

Kelowna Barrister Chosen As President Of South Okanagan Pro-Cons.

E. C. Weddell was re-elected as President of the South Okanagan Progressive-Conservative Association at the convention of delegates held in Kelowna last Wednesday. W. A. C. Bennett, M.L.A., of West Kelowna, was chosen as Vice-President of the organization, W. Metcalfe continues as Secretary, and H. A. Trusswell is Treasurer.

Honorary President are Hon. John Bracken, Hon. R. L. "Pat" Maitland, K.C., Hon. Grote Stirling, M.P., and W. A. C. Bennett, M.L.A. Mr. Bennett and Mrs. T. J. Rolston, M.A., addressed the delegates on the work of the party and the need for organization for the coming federal election. Mrs. Rolston appealed for increased interest by the women voters in the affairs of the nation.

The meeting went on record as approving formation of a new party growing out of the present coalition. The resolution as drafted reads as follows:

"That this Association go on record in expressing its approval of the formation of a new provincial party or organization to support the present provincial coalition government;

"That the executive be authorized to take such steps as from time to time they deem advisable to accomplish this purpose;

"And that we express our approval of the activities of our member for South Okanagan, W. A. C. Bennett, in this respect."

WINS GOLF COMPETITION

On Sunday afternoon, May 28th, Mrs. Anne MacClummont won the Club Championship of the Kelowna Golf Club for ladies, when she won the match on the 17th hole. Mrs. MacClummont is now the holder of the Collett Cup emblematic of the competition. Mrs. D. Oliver was the runner-up.

On Saturday, June 3rd, an 18-hole monthly medal competition will be held.

Lieut. R. F. Parkinson returned to his station at Vancouver Barracks, Vancouver, on Tuesday, after spending two weeks furlough at his home here.

Lieut. (N.S.) Constance Spall has been transferred from Prince Rupert to Stratford, Ontario.

COUPON VALUES

BUTTER - 1/2 pound
TEA - 1/2 pound
COFFEE - 1 pound
SUGAR - 1 pound
CANNED SUGAR - 1 pound

Fruit Men Re-elect Executive and Select Tree Fruit Governors

DesBrisay Again President And Same Executive Re-elected—Only One Change Suggested In B.C. Tree Fruits Governors, With T. Hill Replacing A. T. Howe As Representative Of Northern Okanagan—Directors Hold Meeting Unmarked By Any Great Difference Of Opinion—Loyd Committee Will Be Recalled To Review Present Tree Fruits Contract And Make Plans For Signing Of New One Before Expiry Date Next March

Kelowna Next Convention Site

THE directors of the B.C.F.G.A. meeting here on Tuesday elected the executive members of the B.C.F.G.A. and nominated the governors of B.C. Tree Fruits Ltd. Gordon DesBrisay, Penticton grower who has served in the same position for three years, was again elected president. The executive will consist of C. R. Newman, Sorrento; P. LeGuen, Vernon; J. R. J. Stirling, East Kelowna; G. DesBrisay, Penticton, and Col. Lister, of Creston.

One change was made in the personnel of the governors of B.C. Tree Fruits Ltd. T. Hill replaces A. T. Howe as one of the representatives from the North Okanagan area. The following were nominated as governors and will be subsequently elected by the shareholders of the limited company: Mainline area, J. C. Hanna; North Okanagan J. Goldie, of Okanagan Centre, and T. Hill, of Coldstream; Central Okanagan, L. E. Marshall, Glenmore, and L. G. Butler, East Kelowna; South Okanagan, Albert Millar, of Oliver, W. R. Powell, of Summerland, W. H. Morris, Penticton; Kootenay-Creston, Col. Lister.

The meeting was a quiet and uneventful one, with few differences of opinion being in evidence on any subject, and when they did occur they were of a mild character.

One of the greatest differences of opinion occurred during the site of the next B.C.F.G.A. convention, but even this was good-natured and not acrimonious. The custom in the past has been for the convention to rotate between Kelowna, Vernon and Penticton. The coming gathering should be held in Vernon, but Vernon has indicated that it would be inconvenient for the convention to be held there this time. The Vernon delegates, supported by the other northern delegates, urged that it be held in the most central place, Kelowna. This year, there was some movement to have the coming convention go to Penticton, while Oliver delegates intimated that that community felt that about 1945 it would be entitled to bid for the convention.

However, it was quite evident that the majority of the delegates looked with favor on the convention being held again in Kelowna, and a solution to the effect was carried. There had been no intimation from Kelowna that the Board of Trade would extend the usual courtesies, as Kelowna had received no intimation in this direction. However, after the passing of the resolution, an invitation was forthcoming early in the afternoon.

J. R. J. Stirling drew the attention of the directors to the fact that this year J. J. Campbell, of Willow Point, was not a delegate. He recalled that the Campbell had been an active delegate and an enthusiastic supporter of controlled marketing for many years and that the fruit industry owed him a debt of gratitude. He suggested that the secretary was instructed to send a letter to Mr. Campbell regretting his absence and expressing the directors' hopes for his well-being.

The Nominating of Governors

The last convention had instructed that a committee be named to study the manner of nominating the governors of B.C. Tree Fruits Ltd., and a committee headed by J. R. J. Stirling presented an interim report to the directors.

The report expressed the feeling that in general principle the present system is satisfactory, but did suggest one or two minor changes in detail. At present, the delegates from the various districts concerned suggest to the directors the names of the men who they think should represent the area on the B.C. Tree Fruits governors' board. The directors then nominate the men who are elected by the directors of the limited company.

The Stirling committee, in its report, suggests that should men turn to Page 5, Story 1

SUPERFLUITY SHOP PROFIT

The local Superfluity Shop run by the Mr. W. J. Knapp, Chapter of the I.O.D.E. cleared \$51.24 from the operation of this project during the month of May. Half of the proceeds went to the local Red Cross committee as usual.

Miss Wendy Meikle, Kamloops, younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Meikle of that city, was the winner of the dolls' house which was raffled in the shop recently.

B.C. Interior Aviation Council Holds Meeting At Kamloops

D. Chapman Heads Government Relations Committee—Local Delegates Present

Following the dedication of Fullerton Field, the new Kamloops airport, west of Kamloops, last Monday, the B.C. Interior Aviation Council held a general meeting in the city and completed its organization.

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Decorated



PILOT OFFICER IAN G. MCEWAN

who has been awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross in a joint award to five Canadian airmen serving overseas. A joint citation listing the awards reads: "The officers have completed in various capacities many successful operations against the enemy in which they have displayed high skill, fortitude and devotion to duty."

FRUIT SURVEY REVEALS CROP NOT TOO BIG

Industry Welcomes News That No Record Crop Expected—Delicious Off

There is a saying in Nova Scotia to the effect that British Columbia loses its fruit crop at least three times each year, but despite this usually manages to turn in a pretty fair normal crop at the end of the harvest season.

This Maritime saying was recalled during the past few days with grocers that the apple crop would be seriously reduced because of poor setting and a very great drop. The Blueberry grower who coined the phrase quoted above would say that this is the first time this year the crop has been lost. The second time will come with the June drop, and the third time when the apples disappear among the foliage of the trees.

During the past three or four days there have been some despairing stories about the shrinkage of the crop. In fact some reports would have many orchards without an apple on them. Other reports claim that the crop will not be a bit larger than that of last year.

The best possible check reveals that conditions are not nearly as grim as they have been painted. It is true that certain districts are turning out to be a bit spotty and that one or two orchards will have very light crops, but the broad picture shows at this time a very average crop, although the fence posts and picking ladders will not be bearing fruit as was indicated by the blossoms.

One fruit official on Wednesday tersely summed up the situation thus: "The apple crop will not be quite as large as we had feared." He meant that the reduction in the crop will save much thinning time, expense and labor, be easier harvested and easier sold, and probably net the grower just as much as the huge record crop which seemed to be indicated by the blossoms.

While a survey is now underway, it is known that in Vernon the setting of McIntosh has not been heavy and that in some Kelowna areas Delicious will be off to some extent. In the south, it is felt that Wine-saps have not set very heavily and that cherries will be somewhat lighter than the blossoms suggested.

BUSINESS MEN JAYBEE GUESTS

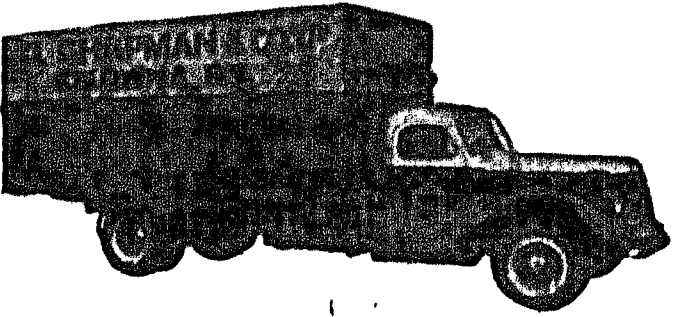
The Kelowna Junior Board of Trade will stage a "business associates night" at its next meeting on Wednesday, June 7 next. Members will have as their guests "their bosses" or the men with whom they are associated in business.

Guest speaker will be Mrs. T. Adams, who will portray her experiences when she was interned in Japan after the outbreak of war in the Pacific.

Jaybees are preparing for the B.C. convention of Junior Chambers of Commerce and Junior Boards which will be held in Penticton later in the month. Many resolutions of interest will be presented during the two-day session in the southern city.

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POOR SET CUTS CROP ESTIMATES

Thinning Will Not Be Problem In Many Orchards — Pests Bad At Vernon

Growers in the Central Okanagan are revising their estimates of a tremendous apple crop which arose from the heavy blossom in most orchards. In many cases the set has been from fair to poor and thinning will not be the problem that was expected. In some orchards growers thinned blossoms and now wish that this had not been done. The set is not so light as to seriously affect the yield and even where the set is poor there will be an average crop but not a record one.

In the south the cherry set is reported poor in some areas, and here again the crop will not reach expectations. Apples have set poorly in Penticton also, it is reported. Vernon reports that it is a bit early to estimate the apple prospects. Peach yield will be down owing to winter injury of two years ago. Pests are reaching epidemic proportions, it is stated.

r.p.m.'s column

British Ignorance Of Canada

— ARTICLE 15 —

It was towards the end of our trip that one of the members of the party remarked that, while there was a tremendous appreciation of Canada in Britain, the lack of understanding was equally, if not more so, great. His remark seems to me to be very true.

The premier we received simply because we were Canadians was most embarrassing. There can be little doubt that the British people have a tremendous affection for Canada and Canadians, but it is equally true that they have apparently made little or no effort to understand this country or the views of the people who live here. Again, as one member of the party pointed out, this, perhaps, should not be surprising, as we in Canada can scarcely be said to know Canada or to understand ourselves.

The members of our party were rather appalled at the lack of knowledge about Canada on the part of many—most of the people with whom we came in contact. Certainly the average Canadian knows much more about Britain than the average Britisher does about Canada. The British, it seemed to me, despite all their world trading and their far-flung connections, are still a very insular people.

We discussed this matter with one of the Cabinet Ministers—Lord Cranborne, Secretary for the Colonies. I think it was—and he said he believed that the common language between the British, Canadians and Americans is actually a bar to better understanding.

Since you and the Americans speak the same language as we do," he said, "we naturally are inclined to feel that you think the same. And, actually, that does not follow. But, because we speak the same language, we just do not trouble to learn about you the way we do about, say, Russia.

"Our relations with Russia are necessarily difficult, but we do not speak the same language and so we do not expect to understand their points of view. The result is that we learn all we can about them and make an effort to understand them. His statement seems logical, but it also convinces one that until the British make a real effort to understand Canada and her racial, geographic, economic and industrial

problems, it will be impossible to further strengthen those sentiments of friendship which are so important to the British Commonwealth.

One illustration centres around the Canadians serving in the Air Force. The members of our party were proud—justly so, I believe—of the part Canadians had been playing in the air war. It was something of a let-down to find that very few Britons had any real conception of the part that Canadians are playing in the war theatre. We knew that more than one-third of the members of the R.A.F. aircraft were Canadian, but we knew, too, that when the Bomber Command raided the Continent, one plane in six (the figure is now one in five, I believe) was a purely Canadian manned aircraft.

But we found that the Britishers, when they read and think of the R.A.F., think of it as a BRITISH force and not as a Commonwealth force. I am quite sure that very few of them really believed the story we told them about Canada's part in the R.A.F. and the Commonwealth Air Training program. It seems to me that the Canadian information services have a tremendous job to do in this connection in Britain.

We found, too, a considerable and growing amount of ignorance among the members of the aircrew about what they consider to be rather unfair treatment on the part of the R.A.F. As far as we could ascertain, there has never been a Canadian serving in the R.A.F. who has ever been promoted to Group Captain in the operational side of the war. In fact, we were told that the only aircraft which any Canadian has any authority to fly over Britain or Europe, except under permission from the R.A.F., is the machine belonging to the senior Canadian air officer.

There is a feeling among Canadian flying men that Canadians have proved their worth and their ability and that they should be permitted to participate alongside R.A.F. officers in the operation side of the air war. They feel that they are being treated as a very youthful and very junior partner of a large firm and they resent it. They argue that it is a bad thing for Canada that its officers have had almost no operational experience at the middle and top levels of command.

Among the officers and men attached to the R.A.F., too, there is a feeling that the R.A.F. retards their promotions. They feel, rightly or wrongly, that the British attitude is against rapid promotion, no matter how much they deserve it. The result is that their fellows attached to the R.C.A.F. advance much more quickly. Most Canadian airmen I talked to expressed their preference for attachment to the R.C.A.F.

The Rocket Guns

— ARTICLE 16 —

Two of us were standing in the window of my room in a London hotel, watching our first air raid. My companion remarked that one could always tell if a bomb were coming near you by the sound it made. He said he remembered well the sound of the shells heading for you in the last war.

I told him that, as I had never heard the sound, he had better be quick about yelling, if he heard a bomb coming in our direction. He agreed, and said he intended to do so to get flat on the floor as quickly as possible.

The words were scarcely out of his mouth when there was a whoop and a swish and a roar. The rocket gun had come from the park just across the street and I looked around for my companion. The room, of course, was dark, but through the open window the moon shined brightly, and by its light I saw him flat under the bed. That was our introduction to the rocket or "Z" guns. We heard them fired many times after that, but never became accustomed to the sound. The ack-ack guns seemed to make a friendly sound, but the rocket guns always seemed to startle one, to create an unfriendly feeling in the pit of one's stomach or the nape of the neck.

It is no secret that there are hundreds of these guns in the London parks, and in a dozen other places around the country we saw large batteries of them. They work on the principle of a hunter with a shotgun. They blanket an area of the sky ahead of the plane at which they are firing and, like the pheasant, the plane entering the shot field is hit. There is no doubt that this new weapon has proved its worth in the defence of Britain.

The man who developed the rocket gun was Dr. Alwyn Douglas Crow, C.B.E., Sc.D., Controller of Projectile Development at the British Ministry of Supply.

Rockets in principle are not new. They were used several generations ago, but these types had no place in modern war. Britain abandoned rocket research work, owing to economy. In 1919, it was in 1936 that the Chief of the Imperial General Staff ordered research to be resumed, one reason being that our military intelligence had learned that Germany was beginning to take up rocket development seriously.

Dr. Crow, who for twenty years had been director of ballistic research at Woolwich Arsenal, was put in charge of the work and he was told to produce more powerful rockets for various war purposes and to develop an anti-aircraft rocket working in batteries.

In 1938 he gathered around him a first-rate team of technicians—chemists, physicists, engineers and mathematicians—and in two years had a rocket that promised full success at the very moment that Chamberlain was coming back from Munich with "peace in our time."

Some of the early experiments took place on a hill deep in the country; some of the tests took place on a small uninhabited English island or on a remote Scottish island. On one island a light-weight mock two-engine plane, suspended from barrage balloons, simulated its application to indus-

EAST KELOWNA

W. E. Hardie, who has sold the East Kelowna Store, will leave with his wife and family on June 6 for Kamloops, where they will reside. They will be greatly missed in the community, and our best wishes go with them to their new home. We welcome to the district the new owners of the store, Mr. and Mrs. G. Silvester, formerly of Kelowna.

Pte. Spencer Dyson, of the Royal Canadian Ordnance Corps, spent his furlough with his wife and family at his home in East Kelowna. He has now returned to his station in London, Ont. While at home, Pte. and Mrs. Dyson entertained a small gathering of relatives and friends of the family to celebrate their fifteenth wedding anniversary.

The Community Hall Board have been very busy improving the interior of the hall by painting the stage floor. They are also planning to have the outside of the hall stained and painted in the very near future.

There will be a dance in the East Kelowna Hall on Friday, June 2. It is hoped that there will be a large crowd to dance to the music of the Stolz Orchestra.

Mrs. Horace Hewlett, accompanied by her son, Larry, left for Vancouver on Saturday, May 27. Mrs. Hewlett will represent East Kelowna as a delegate at the Women's Institute convention, to be held in the Hotel Vancouver.

A few of the ladies of St. Mary's Church Guild met at the home of Mrs. R. Carruthers on Tuesday of last week, where they continued their sewing for the bazaar to be held this fall. A dainty lunch was served by the hostess. They will meet next at the home of Mrs. George Fitz-Gerald.

On Friday of last week the East Kelowna girls' softball team, under the able coaching of John Evans, played the Rutland No. 1 girls' team at Kelowna. The score was 20 to 5 in favor of East Kelowna. The only home run of the entire game was scored by one of our team, Miss Janet Harvie.

Miss Irene Hardie, who is in training at St. Paul's Hospital, Vancouver, is spending a holiday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hardie.

Mr. and Mrs. Laidlaw and son, Kenny, of Penticton, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Hinks.

Bobby Rogers, of East Kelowna, has been chosen as a Junior Forestry Warden for this district.

Word has been received from England that Pte. and Mrs. Adrian Rogers are the proud parents of a son.

P.C.M.E.
All Rangers to parade at the Rifle Range on Thursday, June 1.
A. M. THOMPSON,
Detachment Commander.

was used for a firing test. On another island scientists in sports coats and flannels were repeatedly blown off the rocks in a fierce gale during altitude firing over the sea.

These tests were not all successful or uneventful. There was an occasion when a rocket boomeranged dangerously near the firing party, and another when several projectiles failed to soar into the air and crawled and zig-zagged about the beach.

It was about that time that Dr. Crow and his associates reached a bitter moment. They realized that one line of experiment, affecting the whole principle of the weapon, was being abandoned. There was nothing to do but to scrap that branch of the work, go back to the starting point and try a new method of approach. This yielded success and, in September, 1938, they were encouraged by the fact that triumph was in sight.

Important stages of rocket development have coincided remarkably with dates of critical episodes leading up to the war. The mandate to resume work on rockets was, by chance, the moment Hitler marched into the Rhineland in 1936; the final assessment tests took place in March, 1939, when Germany seized Czechoslovakia; and the rocket was a proved-in-action success during the later months of the big blitz on Britain.

Before this it was necessary to go about with important high-flying trials. An English winter gives little prospect of clear visibility thousands of feet into the air, so a large party of soldiers and civilians were sent to Jamaica at the end of 1938. There the tests took place from beach emplacements of the coastal defences and were entirely successful. In the same way, the U.P. developed the rocket, and the soldiers using them generally called them "whoop-ees."

In its original form the anti-aircraft rocket was designed for defence against the low-flying dive-bomber, but one of the earliest batteries was given the task of investigating the effect of firing rockets in large salvos against high-flying night bombers.

The Anti-Aircraft Command arranged for a coastal battery to go into action in April, 1941, at a place where air attacks were fairly frequent. The night arrived when a target was available. A salvo was fired but missed. Another was immediately unloosed and the raider was destroyed. A direct hit in two salvos promised success, and so it proved.

Since that time rockets have been made in enormous number in factories all over Britain, and many batteries have been formed, most of them manned by the Home Guard.

They were first fired in London something over a year ago, and the strange, heavy swish merging into a rhythmic roar and the multitude of orange dots in the sky as they exploded puzzled many people.

How much the rocket batteries have contributed to the defence of Britain cannot be disclosed, but the number of known "kills" is proof that we hold a very potent weapon which German pilots dread.

One of the rocket experts has said that they have done roughly seventy years work in seven, and the jet-propelled aircraft, and the theoretically it is also applicable to this work. When the U. S. came into the war and secrets were shared, the rocket was one of the first things we gave them.

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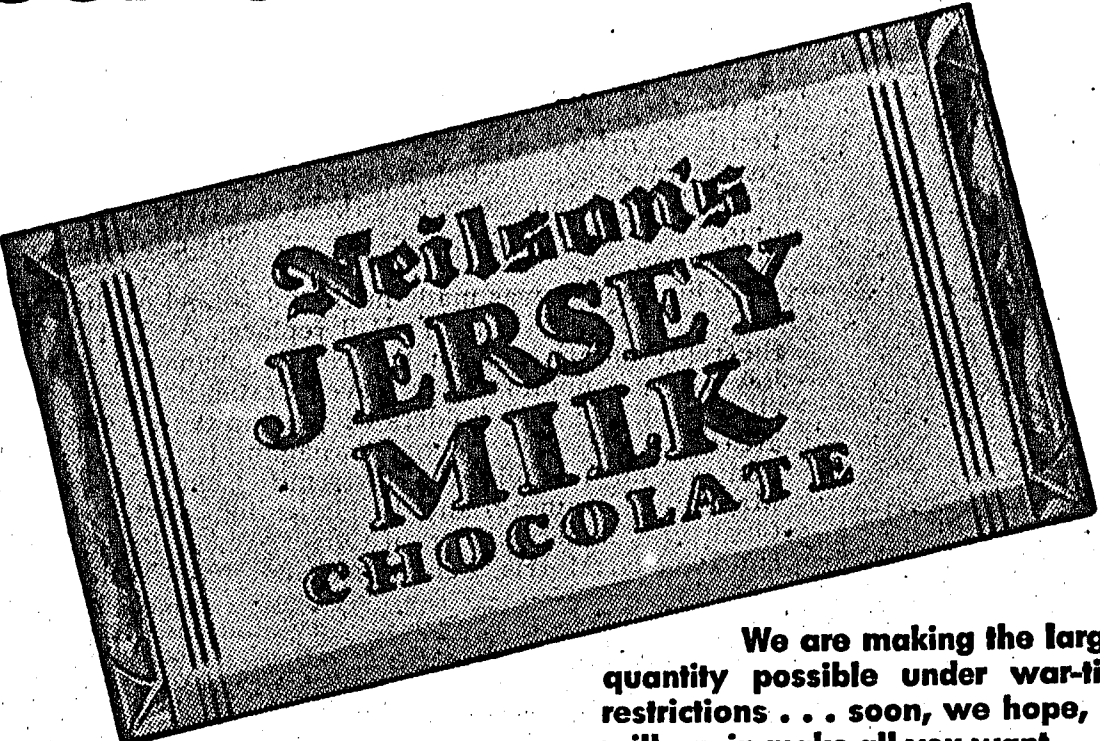
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all the stores looked like "fire" sales... with people scrambling to buy before prices went still higher...

panicky people were buying things they didn't need, and hoarding everything they could get their hands on.

I dreamed that everybody had to fight to get more money... and that in this mad race, wages and salaries were falling behind.

I dreamed the hand of everyone was against his neighbour, with each of us blaming the other fellow for his troubles.

with everybody for himself... no matter what it cost in the long run... and no matter how it hurt the war effort.

THEN... THANK GOODNESS - I WOKE UP!

to realize with relief that I live in a country where things are sane and stable... where the cost of living has been kept within bounds.

to realize that prices and wages—production costs and selling prices—are inseparably linked together.

to realize that without the safeguards that have headed off inflation, my nightmare might have become a reality!

INFLATION DISASTER

to remind myself that the danger is still pressing and that we must continue to hold firm... and that means everybody must play fair and do his part by not trying to get some temporary, fancied advantage at the expense of his fellow-Canadians.

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Under authority of the Prospectors' Grubstake Act granted by the Legislature in the recent Session of Parliament, The Department of Mines is prepared to receive applications for grubstakes from qualified prospectors and applications from suitable men willing to be trained in prospecting.

The Act provides for grubstakes up to \$300.00 in cash or supplies to experienced prospectors who undertake to search for mineral deposits in areas considered favorable for their occurrence. If it is found necessary to move a prospector from one part of the Province to another, his travelling expenses will be paid up to \$200.00. The total grant to any one person will not exceed \$500.00.

Qualifications of applicants for grubstakes must include the following:

- They must be British subjects;
- They must have resided in British Columbia at least 12 months preceding application for a grubstake under the Act; or
- If lacking the residence qualification, they must have been honorably discharged from one of His Majesty's Services;
- They must be under the age that would make them eligible for the Old Age Pension, namely 70 years. Otherwise no age limit has been set but applicants must be in good physical condition;
- They must be able to identify ordinary minerals and rocks. All applicants will be tested as to this ability.

If sufficient applications are received from inexperienced men wishing to qualify as prospectors, one or more training camps may be established where they will be given a six-weeks course in prospecting and hand-mining under competent instructors. At the end of the course the trainees will go out in the field and prospect under the supervision of a qualified mining engineer. They will then receive the \$300.00 grubstake the same as experienced prospectors.

These grubstakes are to be considered as a bonus and not as wages. The government does not retain any interest in any finds made under the Prospectors' Grubstake Act.

Prospectors put in the field will be required to report progress at convenient intervals to the nearest Government Mining Office or to the Department of Mines at Victoria. Free assays and spectrographic analyses of samples sent in by prospectors will be made at the Government Assay Office, Victoria. Maps and all geological information available will also be provided.

Further information, including application forms, can be obtained from Mining Recorders, Inspectors and Engineers of the Department or by writing the Department of Mines at Victoria.

Department of Mines,
Parliament Buildings,
Victoria, B.C.

HON. E. C. CARSON,
Minister.

PRIZE WINNERS IN LAST WAR SAVINGS DRAW

Outside Residents Win Majority Of Certificates

Residents in the north end of the Valley took the majority of the prizes in the twenty-ninth War Savings draw held in Kelowna last week. Annie Reiser, of Vernon, was the winner of the \$100 Certificate and Margaret A. Fulton, of Armstrong, took the \$50 prize. Five other prizes were awarded, with Mrs. M. W. Cookson the winner of the \$25 Certificate. Kathleen Halksworth, of Grindrod, won the \$50 cover draw.

Will Harper drew the winning ticket stubs from the barrel. A special prize of a \$100 Victory Bond was an added attraction in the next draw. This bond has been made possible by the generosity of the fruit and vegetable shippers of Kelowna and Westbank. The next cover draw will be held in July from covers of completely sold books in the months of June and July.

Following is a complete list of prize winners:

\$100 Certificate
Ticket No. 2954, Annie Reiser, Box 272, Vernon.

\$50 Certificate
1496, Margaret A. Fulton, R.R.3, Armstrong.

\$25 Certificates
2905, John G. Brookwell, C.P. Telegraph, Penticton.
2791, Mrs. Ida Campbell, Post Office, Vernon.
2783, William Fletcher, Box 172, Penticton.
1355, Mrs. Norah Jenkinson, Armstrong.

\$10 Certificates
1556, A. W. Dill, Enderby.
1331, Evelyn Bell, Port Alberni, B.C.
3126, J. M. Clark, Kelowna, B.C.
2368, Mrs. Dorothy Bennett, 395 Beverly Street, Winnipeg, Man.
1322, Norah Jenkinson, Armstrong.
1415, Joe Mullen, Armstrong.
609, Percy T. Dunn, Kelowna.
1808, Mrs. Dorothy H. Gibson, Penticton.
2191, Lloyd Spradlin, Park Avenue, Kelowna.
2132, Florence Fyall, Grindrod.

\$5 Certificates
1558, Caroline Bawtree, Enderby.
2050, Harry Clark, Box 46, Kelowna.
2949, Frank Connolly, Vernon.
1351, William R. Armstrong, Armstrong.
1412, R. Haugen, Armstrong.
3196, Arthur Malkinson, Haynes Street, Penticton.
1874, Esther Duncan, Box 216, Penticton.
1869, John E. Briard, Box 532, Vernon.
1572, F. Maurice Upton, Box 1161, Kelowna.
1560, Ruby Lidstone, Enderby.
588, Arthur John Gayfer, Box 1384, Kelowna.
607, Mrs. L. H. Lindsay, Riverside Avenue, Kelowna.

1813, Sydney A. Gibson, Penticton.
3362, Mrs. Elizabeth McLeod, Box 3, Ocean Falls, B.C.
2193, Mrs. Stella Watson, Box 51, Penticton.
2820, Kathleen Folkard, Enderby.
816, Barbara Atkins, Westbank.
3053, Louise Bell, Man.
1344, Ross Lockhart, Armstrong.
2162, Samuel H. Moore, Box 565, Vernon.
430, J. V. Sellick, Kelowna.
1259, Mrs. G. Douglas, 403 Barnard Avenue, Vernon.
1441, C. A. Kemp, Armstrong.
3198, Arthur Kay, Penticton.
612, Marjorie Gooderham, Caulfield, B.C.
834, Walter Hamilton, Kelowna.
31, Elizabeth McGill, Kelowna.
521, Jimmy McClelland, Box 130, Kelowna.
384, Ralph Wilson Brown, Box 1150, Kelowna.
3360, Laura Chisholm, Box 60, Ocean Falls, B.C.

\$50 Cover Prize
Kathleen Halksworth, Grindrod.

Sellers' Prizes
278, Mrs. M. W. Cookson, Box 124, Kelowna.
1867, J. Briard, Box 532, Vernon.
2797, \$10, Alice J. Kaufman, Vernon.
3103, \$5, A. E. Woods, Okanagan Landing.
515, \$5, Alice Spears, Kelowna.

EMPLOYEES ASSOCIATION

Government Workers Organize Branch of Employees Association

In the Kelowna Court Room, on May 29th, a representative meeting of Government employees was held to organize a branch of the B.C. Government Employees Association. Four members of the Vernon branch were present to explain the aims and objects of the Association, which are to support the merit system of appointments and for general improvement of the Civil Service. Officers elected were: Roy Hunt, President; C. C. Kelley, Vice-President; and H. K. Hume, Secretary-Treasurer. All present became members.

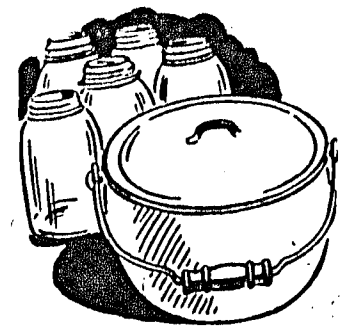
A second meeting will be held on June 5 to complete the organization and election of committees.

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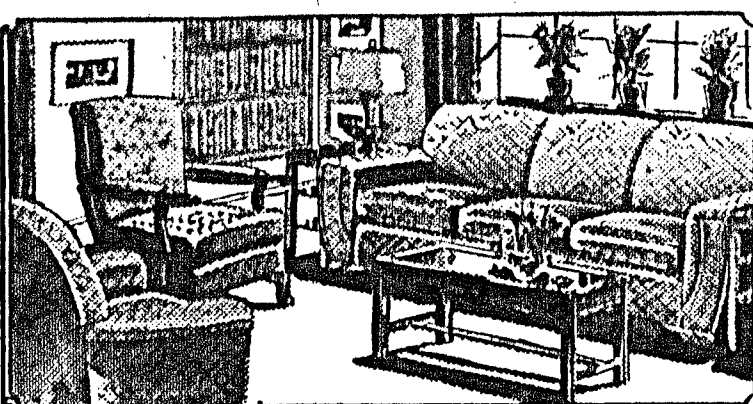


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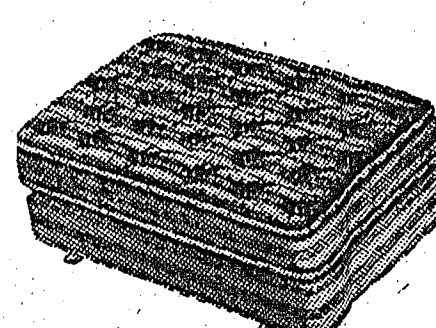
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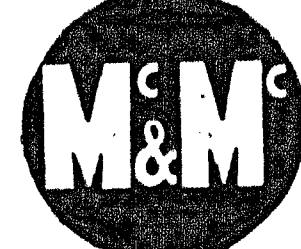
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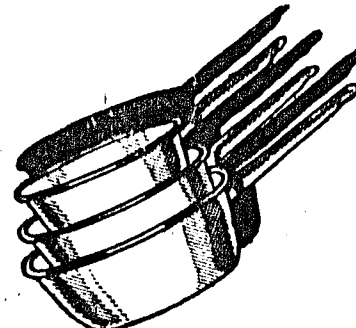
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LAST RITES FOR RESIDENT OF PEACHLAND

Mrs. H. M. E. Keating Had Lived In Lake Community Since 1908

Funeral services for Mrs. H. M. E. Keating, who passed away in the Kelowna Hospital on Saturday, May 20, were held in the Peachland United Church on Tuesday, May 23. Rev. Dr. A. D. MacKinnon, assisted by Rev. J. D. Gillan, officiated. The pallbearers were J. P. Long, L. Shaw, J. H. Clements, A. E. Ruffe, J. Topham and E. M. Hunt. Interment was in the Peachland Cemetery.

Mrs. Keating was born in Hamilton, Ont., on Feb. 15, 1876. Her parents died when she was an infant and relatives brought her to Portage La Prairie in 1892. Living there for a year, they then moved to Binscarth, Man., and she was married there on March 2, 1897. Mr. and Mrs. Keating farmed there until June, 1908, then moving west they arrived in Peachland in July of that year and became permanent residents. Mrs. Keating took a keen interest in the Women's Institute, of which she was a charter member, and was also interested in all the various women's organizations until a few years ago, when her health failed and she was unable to continue taking an active part. Mrs. Keating predeceased her in February of this year. She is survived by two sons, Herbert, in Peachland, and Nelson, in San Diego. Two daughters, Mrs. A. D. Ferguson and Mrs. G. S. Dell, of Peachland, and five grandchildren.

Two fish have been entered in the Okanagan Rainbow Trout Derby, one by F. V. Vernon, caught on May 27, weighing 9 lbs. 2 ozs., and one by C. T. Redstone, caught on May 28, weighing 6 lbs. 8 ozs.

A unique feature of the United Church services last Sunday at Peachland and Westbank was the union of both Junior Choirs at the two churches. Ten of the Peachland juniors motored in three cars, viz. those of Mrs. J. Long, Mrs. C. Witt and Dr. A. D. MacKinnon, to the 11 a.m. service at Westbank, where about twenty youthful singers marched into the church singing "Lead Kindly Light." The visitors sang with good effect "We have a story to tell to the Nations." Miss Gwendyth Reece sang "This is my Task." At Peachland, at 7.30 p.m., the Senior Choir and the Junior Choir of Westbank occupied the choir loft, while the visitors sang soulfully "God of Our Fathers." To the delight of a large audience, Miss Reece sang "Tennyson's 'Crossing the Bar'" which was befitting the day's theme, "The Christian Way—A Life of Wide Horizons." Both Junior Choirs were entertained at the Manse following the evening service. Mrs. Witt and Mrs. D. Cousins had charge of dainty refreshments, while Audrey Long, Helen Long, Ruth Wilson, Dawn Bradford, Norma Hill, Beatrice Cousins and Virginia Crano did the serving. Next

CITIZENS ASKED TO HELP PAPER SALVAGE DRIVE

Junior Board Again Directing Collection of Waste Paper

The Federal Government is appealing to Canadians to save every scrap of waste paper for reprocessing into heavy cardboard, which is used in packaging and other needs allied to the war effort. The pulp industry is carrying a tremendous load at the present time, and salvage of waste paper eases the strain on manpower and is a valuable contribution to the war effort.

The Kelowna Junior Board of Trade has directed the paper salvage campaign in the past and is now again all set to take care of the job. After some months of uncertainty owing to lack of storage space, the salvage committee has arranged for use of the old McDonald Garage used-car shed, and all paper and magazines can be left there for shipment to the processing plants.

Citizens are again reminded that books and papers should be tied in separate bundles weighing 25 or 50 pounds. If they have a large quantity, the committee will arrange to pick up the bundles, and a call to 347 or 65 will ensure transportation. As this is the busy season for trucks, smaller shipments should be taken to the storage depot, across from the Kelowna Creamery.

The paper should be tied securely with heavy twine so that the packages will not come apart. Failure to do this makes a lot of extra work for the volunteer workers, and donors are particularly asked to cooperate with the Jaycees by making sure the bundles are strongly tied.

Sunday, June 4, the Junior Choirs will have charge of the musical program of the churches.

Miss Margery Leach, Reg. N. of St. Thomas, Ont., spent a few days last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Cameron before leaving for the Coast.

Dr. G. Whyte, on his way to Ottawa, stopped off for a few hours on Wednesday, May 24.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Carter and sons were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Fuls on Thursday.

Mrs. L. Goodison and son arrived home on Friday, after a few days spent in Kelowna.

Mrs. Thurbie Cushing and son, of Ottawa, were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. McKay on Sunday, May 21.

Mrs. J. Bush left on Saturday to attend the convention of B. C. Women's Institutes at Vancouver.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Cushing, of Kelowna, were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. McKay Sunday, May 21.

Mrs. B. F. Gummow left for the Coast on Sunday, to attend the con-

ELLISON

Mrs. J. M. Lang, who now resides in Oliver, has been spending a few days with Miss Conroy and renewing old friendships in the district.

The school sports, organized by Miss Joe Edrey, formed a successful and entertaining event of last Friday afternoon. No doubt due to the wet Tuesday necessitating postponement, parents and friends were disappointedly few, but that didn't spoil the children's fun. There were many novel and amusing races, competition was keen, and the judging, which was undertaken by Mrs. Bulman and Mrs. Anderson, was far from easy. Prizes were awarded to the aggregate winners in each division, the recipients being Eva Teoreck and Ernie Choe, seniors, and Bernice Doran and Douglas Morgan, juniors. After refreshments, the afternoon wound up with a ball game.

Mrs. W. Mack returned home on Sunday from Armstrong, where she had been staying for a while with Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Cameron.

Word has been received by Mr. and Mrs. Mack of the arrival of their daughter, Christine, in White Horse, where she has taken a position with the U. S. Government.

Cecil Ritchey has completed the logging road up through the Sunset Ranch from the south-east end of the Sulman sub-division, and is now moving the camp from the foot of the range to the new site above the timber line. It is understood that the road will eventually go as far as the Scotty Creek dams and tap a large and very fine timber supply. It will prove incidentally to be of considerable use and economy to the Scotty Creek Irrigation District as a supply route for future construction work at the dams in place of the pack-horse method of the past.

Dr. Jim Carney, V.S. Mrs. Carney and family are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Tom Carney for a few days, prior to leaving for a post on Vancouver Island.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Stewart have received news that their son, W.O. Vic Stewart, has been promoted to Pilot Officer. Vic has been overseas for fourteen months, has completed his first tour of operations and is now on his second.

F/O Andy Duncan was home on a brief leave last week from his station at Cloverdale.

Mrs. Ted Clement and two small daughters, of Peachland, were weekend guests of Mrs. Andy Duncan.

vention of B. C. Women's Institutes, of which she is President.

Word was received on Saturday by T. McLaughlin that his son, Cpl. Tommy McLaughlin, had been slightly injured in action in Italy.

SPRAYING MACHINERY IS PROBLEM

Contraction Of Custom Spraying May Result In Serious Situation

Concern is felt by the B.C.F.G.A. Executive because former "custom sprayers" are not making their equipment available this year to growers whom they formerly served, the result being the threat that many orchards will not be sprayed against codling moth.

Gordon DesBrisay, B.C.F.G.A. President, on Tuesday said: "The B.C.F.G.A. Executive is greatly concerned about certain conditions which have arisen in the spraying program. In many instances former 'custom' sprayers have decided that they are not in a position to continue this service to other growers. The Executive realizes fully the reasons behind this decision. With the great scarcity of new equipment and the difficulty of obtaining labor, it is very natural that these sprayer owners should consider it prudent to eliminate unnecessary wear and tear on the machines and buy new on orchard help. However, in some instances the position has become quite desperate, because orchard owners are unable to purchase new equipment at least to the best efforts of the B.C.F.G.A. and B.C. Tree Fruits Ltd. to obtain some relaxation in machinery quotas."

The Executive would be most unwilling to interfere with the program of private individuals, but hopes they will review most carefully any decision which they may have arrived at in this regard. In view of the emergency, the helplessness of growers who are unable to purchase sprayers, and the urgency of the situation, they feel justified in asking former custom sprayers at least to consider whether they can do anything further to assist those who had become accustomed to depend upon them, and in asking growers who may have equipment in excess of their immediate requirements to consider whether they can make it available to those who are in a less fortunate position."

cal parcel, the Red Cross Enquiry Bureau, 18 Rideau Street, Ottawa, should be contacted and advised why you consider such a parcel to be necessary to the prisoner's well-being and what articles you wish it to contain.

In every month except one during 1943, R.A.F. fighters, fighter-bombers and medium bombers carried out at least 3,000 daylight sorties on offensive operations. This does not include sorties made for defensive purposes or to protect Allied shipping. Targets included shipping, railway rolling stock, power stations, airfields, oil installations and communications.

Special medical parcels may be sent from next-of-kin in Canada to prisoners interned in Germany by arrangement with the Red Cross Enquiry Bureau at Ottawa. The purpose of these parcels is to supply prisoners with special doctor's prescriptions, tonics, vitamins or personal appliances such as surgical supports and spectacles.

These regulations should not be interpreted to include articles other than essential tonics or vitamin preparations or special doctor's prescriptions.

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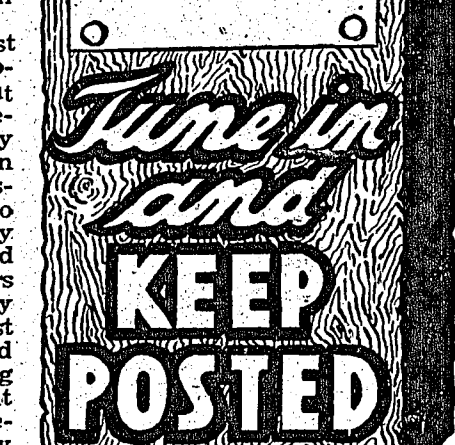
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HOME BURNS

The home of L. L. Howlett, at Westbank, was totally destroyed by fire in a blaze which gutted the residence in a short space of time. Cause of the fire has not been ascertained.

The fire broke out about 1.30 Monday afternoon in the rear of the upper story. Furniture in the bedrooms was lost, but a large part of the effects downstairs were saved.

before the blaze reached the lower story. Mr. Howlett suffered a burned right arm during the blaze. Damage is estimated at \$5,000, partly covered by insurance.

AIRCREW ENLISTMENT RESUMED

Enlistment for aircrew is being resumed on a much reduced scale. The recent reduction in the British

REVELSTOKE WILL RE-ACT HISTORIC EVENT



Beards and bowlers are again in style at Revelstoke, B.C., where finishing touches are being put on plans for their Golden Spike days celebration on June 30 and July 1, to raise funds for Klansmen charities. A sport day, dances and other entertainment are planned for the mountain town, the theme of the celebration being the driving of the last spike at Craigellachie on November 7, 1885, completing the Canadian Pacific Railway's transcontinental line. Local club members are shown above, dressed appropriately for the occasion, as they re-act the event, with Wilfred Veith playing the role of Donald A. Smith, later Lord Strathcona, as he welds the spike maul.

A "golden" spike will be drawn for, and five young ladies will vie for the honor of being chosen Queen for a day.

No. 100 COMPANY, P.C.M.R. KELOWNA RANGERS

Orders for Week Commencing Tuesday, May 30th, 1944

Orderly Sergeants: Sgt. McMillan, May 27 to June 2; Sgt. Haug, June 3 to June 9.

Friday, June 2.—Signallers at Company H. Q. at 1930 hours.

Saturday, June 3.—Company H. Q. open from 1900 hours to 2100 hours.

Monday, June 5.—No. 1 Detachment parades at Company H. Q. at 1930 hours.

By Order.

G. N. KENNEDY, Captain, Officer Commanding.

WILL VISIT HERE

Word has reached Kelowna that L. F. Burrows, Ottawa marketing executive, is planning to visit British Columbia this month and expects to arrive in Kelowna with his wife about June 26. The Burrows' home in Ottawa has been open to visitors from Kelowna for many years, and those who have enjoyed their hospitality will welcome an opportunity to return the kindness extended on so many occasions.

It is expected that growers' organizations in the valley will ask Mr. Burrows to address them on marketing problems.

Commonwealth Air Training Plan makes it possible to release larger numbers of ground crew for reuniting to aircrew. Civilians will also be enlisted but selection standards have been raised to ensure that only those most likely to succeed will be accepted. Those who do not make the grade will be discharged to the Navy or Army.

WITH THE SERVICES

(Friends and relatives of men who are serving in any branch of His Majesty's Services are invited to send in contributions to The Courier for this column, either by mail or phoning 96.)

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Baldoock, Lawson Avenue, received word this week that their son, Lionel, who is serving in England with the R.C.A.F. as an instructor, has been promoted to the rank of Flying Officer.

Wren Irene Smith, W.R.C.N.S., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Smith, is now stationed at Moncton, N.B.

Douglas B. Herbert, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon D. Herbert, is now stationed at Prince Rupert.

Gar. William Smith, R.C.A., has been transferred from Vancouver to Wainwright, Alberta.

Cpl. Bob Berard is spending two weeks visiting his father, Mr. J. Berard, Burnie Avenue.

A.C.2 Harry Smith, R.C.A.F., has been transferred from Edmonton to Abbotsford.

L.A.C. Mickey Jones, R.C.A.F., son of Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Jones, is spending a few days leave at his home. Sgt. M. C. Jones, C.D.C., is also spending a few days leave at his home prior to leaving for his new posting at Wainwright.

P.O. John de C. Paynter, R.A.F., has been posted to Moncton, N.B., where he has charge of a section of Signals training.

Mrs. Clem Gordon, 131 Glenn Avenue, has received word that her husband, Pte. C. A. Gordon, R.C.A.S.C., has arrived safely overseas. Shortly after his arrival, Pte. Gordon had the pleasure of meeting one of his school chums, Capt. Allan McKenzie, son of Mrs. George McKenzie, of Kelowna. Pte. Gordon was formerly employed by the Canadian National Railways on the M.S. Pen-town.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Williams, Winfield, received a cable on Sunday evening advising them that their son, Pte. Walter Williams, has been wounded while serving with the Canadian Army in Italy.

Mrs. Claude Taylor received a cable on Tuesday stating that her son, Lieut. Nigel Taylor, of the 9th Armored Regiment serving in Italy, has been severely wounded. No further information was given in the cable.

Wren Maureen Kennedy, W.R.C.N.S., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Kennedy, has been transferred from Halifax to Cornwallis.

Pte. W. J. G. Kennedy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Kennedy, is now stationed at Camp, Alberta.

Bobbing about in 48-degree half an hour, without a life jacket, was "just like going for an afternoon swim" to husky Gordon McQuarrie on the corvette H.M.C.S. Dauphin—but the six-foot-two-inch, 190-pound, British Columbia sailor confessed his experience as an aquatic sprinter in regatta back home might have stood him in good stead, according to a Royal Canadian Navy press release.

Leading Seaman McQuarrie—soon to become an acting petty officer in the permanent force Canadian Navy, who he joined from his native Revelstoke three years ago—was washed overboard off the coast of Ireland by what he describes as a "double wave".

"I was working on the depth charge rails aft, at about 11.30 in the morning," he said.

"First thing I did was to kick off my duffel coat and sea boots.

"The ship was doing about 14 knots at the time and seemed to be on the horizon before it turned, but I wasn't afraid.

"I've been swimming all my life—used to compete in the Kelowna Regatta every summer—so I just plugged along until the ship wheeled about, then swam to her and they hauled me in."

Although McQuarrie is inclined to depreciate the whole incident, the first lieutenant of the Dauphin, Lt. Norman Hacking, R.C.N.V.R., former Vancouver newspaperman, says: "He's really a very lucky boy. The seas were quite stiff and his head looked awfully small back astern a couple of miles, bobbing around in those big waves."

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It is cheap protection against fire to paint up all property which is weathered, cracked or rotted or otherwise in a condition making it relatively easy to ignite.

JUVENILES CHARGED WITH THEFT

Ringleader Just Back From Industrial School—East Kelowna Theft

Two juveniles will appear in juvenile court shortly in connection with the breaking and entering of Williams Shoe Store this week, and of those charged with the theft from Williams Shoe Store.

J. A. Ritchie was fined \$5.00 in police court for failing to stop at a stop sign, and C. Novak was assessed a similar amount for failing to have a driver's licence.

Mrs. C. Brannhoff was mulcted \$25.00 for an infringement of the Excise Act, when she made beer without the necessary permit.

In district court A. Eutin was fined \$5.00 by Stipendiary Magistrate McWilliams for ignoring a stop sign. Santa Ram paid \$10.00 when he transported passengers in his truck without the required fixed seats.

D. Pelech pleaded guilty to breaking and entering a house in East Kelowna, and theft of goods valued at \$150.00. He will come up for sentence tomorrow in the district court.

Police report that cyclists are now riding at night with proper lights, since a large number were fined \$2.00 and costs recently. Names of those fined were: L. Dugan, M. Zahara, H. Colton, J. Colton, L. Sanger, A. Ekins, I. Bohnen, G. Erikson, D. Edmunds, J. Materi and Mrs. M. Brown.

"WHAT A HOPE" HIGHWAY WILL NOT BE OPEN

Japs Leave For East And Ottawa Isn't Interested In Completion

The possibility of having the Hope-Princeton Highway open to traffic this year seems rather remote in the light of a recent announcement of "policy" concerning the road by officials of the engineering and construction service of the federal Department of Mines and Technical Surveys, which has been handling work on the route.

These sources state that work this year will be confined to the improvement of the existing pioneer road, but in view of the fact that the Japanese workers on the project are leaving rapidly to obtain better paid jobs in private industry in Eastern Canada, there seems to be little likelihood that the road will be completed between Hope and Princeton to a point where traffic would be allowed to go over it.

At any rate, department officials state that, in so far as the Dominion Government is concerned, it was not so much interested in completing the road as in providing the Japanese with jobs outside of the restricted Coast areas.

However, at the request of the military authorities, a pioneer road was pushed through last fall in order to provide an alternate route to the Fraser Canyon Highway, had this been necessary in an emergency. The Hope road, as it exists now through the gap, is in no way suitable for ordinary automobile traffic.

It is stated that the federal authorities are not making any effort to disengage the Japs from leaving the project, for the reason that Ottawa is anxious to have these people absorbed into private enterprise as soon as possible in order to be relieved of the expense burden of camps in this province.

Evidently there has been considerable dissatisfaction among the Japanese working on the Hope-Princeton road over the matter of wages. They have been receiving 25 cents an hour, with some foremen and others getting a slightly higher scale. However, Eutin wanted equal pay with white men while doing this work, and their demands in this respect were flatly rejected.

Now that there is an opportunity for higher paid jobs in private industry, indications are that many or all of them will leave the Hope-Princeton.

Ottawa apparently takes the view that completion of the road for public travel is the responsibility of the provincial Department of Public Works.

B. C. authorities have consistently maintained that the entire project is now under the direction of the federal Department of Mines and Resources.

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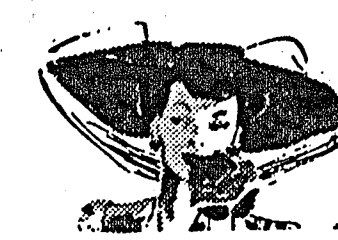
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BIRTHS

KITCH—At the Kelowna General Hospital, on Friday, May 19, 1944, to Mr. and Mrs. Rudy Kitch, of Kelowna, a son.

MOAN—At the Kelowna General Hospital, on Sunday, May 21, 1944, to Mr. and Mrs. James Moan, of Kelowna, a son.

MANN—At the Kelowna General Hospital, on Sunday, May 21, 1944, to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Mann, of Kelowna, a son.

DENVER—At the Kelowna General Hospital, on Thursday, May 25, 1944, to Mr. and Mrs. John Denver, of Kelowna, a son.

LEWIS—At the Kelowna General Hospital, on Friday, May 26, 1944, to Mr. and Mrs. Ted Lewis, of Kelowna, a son.

ZAHN—At the Kelowna General Hospital, on Saturday, May 27, 1944, to Mr. and Mrs. Maryann Zahn, of Ellison, a daughter.

WEATHERLY—At the Kelowna General Hospital, on Monday, May 29, 1944, to Mr. and Mrs. George Weatherly, of Kelowna, a son.

SCHLEPPE—At the Kelowna General Hospital, on Monday, May 29, 1944, to Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Schleppe, R.R. 2 Kelowna, a daughter.

ROTARY SHOW IS ENJOYED

Vernon Players Present "Aladdin" To Large Audiences Last Thursday

The musical revue, "Aladdin and His Lamp," written and produced by W. S. Atkinson, with direction by Capt. W. P. Dey, M.B.E., was presented at the Empress Theatre last Thursday to large and appreciative audiences at both matinee and evening performances.

It is probably not generally known that Mr. Atkinson and his company of some forty players have given freely of their time and talent in presenting their show to nearly ten thousand people in the Okanagan Valley, in order to raise funds to be spent on community activities such as the Kelowna Rotary Club's park and other similar lines of endeavor.

The entire show proved a most acceptable change from the regular picture diet seen on the screen. The widow Twankey, as played by producer W. S. Atkinson, was the high-light of the play, together with widow Twankey's son, Aladdin, enacted by Miss Beth Gillanders.

Little Betty Cross, as the fairy from Lampland, was delightful in her grace and style.

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The field is located about five miles west of Kamloops, on the Tranquille road. Air travel time between Kamloops and Vancouver is now approximately one hour.
On Monday some half-dozen military and civil planes took part in the dedication ceremonies.
It has been found that office help who complained of being chilly when the interior of working rooms was painted a cool blue were found to make a warm yellow. Similarly, greens and blues have been found to make hot offices more bearable during summer months.

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FULTON FIELD IS OPENED AT KAMLOOPS

Kamloops Now Has Fine Airport As Result Of Early Vision

On Monday the Earl of Athlone, Governor General of Canada, officially opened Fulton Field, the Kamloops airport named in honor of Wing Commander John Fulton, one of Kamloops' air heroes.

Back in the late thirties, the people of Kamloops saw the great future in air travel and determined that their city would play its part in this field, which is going to be important after the war. The city began to acquire a suitable site and in 1939 opened its first landing strip.

This far-sightedness on the part of the people of Kamloops paid rich dividends as, with a small airport available there and a larger one needed for military and civil aviation as a result of the war, it was logical that the Department of

Transport should select the Kamloops field as one of its principal fields in the Interior.

The fact that Kamloops had a start on the construction of a landing field has resulted in governmental assistance to the extent that on Monday one of the finest airports in the Interior was officially opened in the Main Line city.

The field is equipped with a fine landing strip a little more than a mile in length. This is hard surfaced. There is also a large concrete parking area for the planes that use the field. In addition, of course, there are adequate buildings.

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CARD OF THANKS

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NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having claims upon the estate of the late Mrs. Helen van der Heyden who died on the 3rd day of July, 1943, are required to send before the 14th day of June, 1944, full particulars in writing of their claims duly verified to The Canada Trust Company, P.O. Box 429, Victoria, B.C., the executor of the will of said deceased. And notice is also given that the executor will day of the June 19th, 1944, proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among those parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which the said executor shall then have had notice. Dated at Victoria, B.C., this 19th day of May, 1944.

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LAND REGISTRY ACT

(Section 160)

PROOF has been filed in my office of the loss of Certificate of Title No. 35987* to the above mentioned land in the name of Anthony Verno and bearing date the 23rd October, 1913.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE of my intention at the expiration of one calendar month to issue to the said Anthony Verno, a Provisional Certificate of Title in lieu of such lost Certificate. Any person having any information with reference to the lost Certificate of Title is requested to communicate with the undersigned.

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Proposal Would Provide Clearing House For Interior Associations

Creation of a Provincial Clearing House, or in the alternative appointment of a Provincial Secretariat, will be urged by J. J. McEwen, of Nelson, speaking for the West Kootenay Rod and Gun Clubs Association at the B. C. Interior Fish and Game Association annual meeting in Vernon, on Thursday, June 1.

Mr. McEwen has written asking for permission to submit this subject to the interior convention. He states that the setting up of such a central office of relations between fish and game clubs throughout the whole province.

The convention will have an international flavor, because T. B. McCauley, of the Department of Game for the State of Washington, has accepted an invitation to attend the sessions and to speak at the banquet in the evening.

Acceptances have also come from Hon. R. L. Maitland, Attorney General; Hon. K. C. MacDonald, Minister of Agriculture; "Pintail," of the Vancouver Board of Trade; and the Vancouver Provincial Game Warden, Col. Parlow, District Forester, Kamloops; James Cunningham, of the B. C. Game Commission; and A. C. Desbriey, President of the B. C. Fruit Growers' Association, and Percy E. French, President of the B. C. Federation of Agriculture.

M. W. "Ted" Black, President of the Westminster Angling and Game Club, New Westminster, and of the Lower Mainland Zone Association, will also attend and will bring up the matter of the removal of the old logging dam located on the Adams River a little below the south end of Adams Lake.

The International Pacific Salmon Commission have recommended that the dam be removed and the speakers of the interior are being consulted as to their views. Mr. Black writes that the Salmon Commission will be willing to defray the cost of removal of the dam.

The delegates will be welcomed by Mayor D. Howlett, of Vernon, and will also be welcomed at the banquet by Walter Bennett, President of the Vernon and District Board of Trade.

The banquet committee, consisting of Frank Beckner, Norman Schreiner, Jack Woods and Henry Rottacher, promises not only an attractive entertainment but an intriguing menu.

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OKANAGAN FALLS IRRIGATION DAM GOES OUT

Cause Of Break Unknown, But Not Due To High Water

For the second time in a few years the irrigation dam at Okanagan Falls went out last Sunday, and precious water, stored for sum-

More About ALBERTA GIRLS

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be nominated from any area than that area is entitled to have as governors, the directors from that area should get together and reduce the number of the right number, nominations to the right number, the governors of that area should select the right number by ballot, this ballot to be held within thirty days of the directors' meeting.

The directors discussed the suggestion briefly but left the matter for decision at the annual convention next January.

A resolution authorizing B. C. Tree Fruits Ltd. to hold back an amount not exceeding \$30,000 as working capital was passed. This is an annual matter and refers to the revolving fund used by Tree Fruits to meet expenses in certain seasons of the year. The fund is built up of deductions over a two-year period totalling \$60,000. The \$30,000, however, is held in the revolving fund and is held in the revolving fund for three years from now. Thus the fund always has \$60,000 in it.

Labor
 A letter was read from William MacGillivray, Director of the Dominion Emergency Farm Labor Service, stating that Alberta was willing to let supply labor to the tree fruit growers and, if necessary, Saskatchewan would do the same. This information developed at the Dominion-Provincial conference held in Calgary a few days ago.

Mr. MacGillivray indicated that the bulk of the potential workers from Alberta would be women and High School students. If there were a crop failure in Southern Alberta, it was probable that some male labor could be secured.

There is no possibility of obtaining prisoners of war or conscientious objectors. Whether or not soldiers will be available depends entirely upon the military situation and the need for replacements overseas.

It was made very clear by Mr. MacGillivray that in all cases local labor must be recruited to the absolute limit before outside labor could be brought in.

There was some discussion about last year's crop. In Nova Scotia who assisted with the harvesting were paid \$3.50 a day; in Ontario, \$4.00, and in B. C., \$4.50. Efforts were being made to have a uniform rate of pay throughout this year.

Loyd On Contract
 A. K. Loyd, President and General Manager of B. C. Tree Fruits Ltd., reminded the B.C.F.G.A. that the present contract will expire on March 15th next and suggested that some steps should be taken to have it renewed. Unless an individual who has signed serves notice that he is not renewing, each contract is automatically renewed for one year, but, in his opinion, this is not sufficient.

He suggested that the B.C.F.G.A. should take some steps to have the present contract renewed. If any changes are advisable, and then to arrange to have a new contract signed before the present one expires.

The length of time covered by the contract should be considered carefully, and he suggested that it should be not too short nor too long, say from three to five years.

There was considerable discussion among the directors about the best method of seeing that all new purchasers of orchard property in the fruit area sign the contract. Several directors reported that they were convinced that many of the newcomers had not signed the contract and they asked what was being done about this situation.

Mr. Loyd replied that the packing houses had been approached to have the B. C. Tree Fruits contract signed at the same time as the packing house contract is signed by the grower. Generally speaking, the packing houses were co-operating extremely well and many new contracts were being turned in. If a grower does not sign the contract, the packing house would inform the B.C. Tree Fruits, and it is suggested that the local B.C.F.G.A. officials should contact this grower to obtain his signature.

Halted Fruit
 Mr. Loyd, in commenting on the suggestion that a charge be levied for hauled fruit, reported that there was no way in which this deduction could be made, as it did not lie with the grower or the power of either Tree Fruits or the Fruit Board.

Revision of By-laws
 G. A. Barret, chairman of the committee named to revise the by-laws, stated that this work was going forward, and that the report will be placed before an extraordinary general meeting to be held at the time of the B.C.F.G.A. convention.

Export
 D. McNair, Sales Manager of B. C. Tree Fruits, explained to the directors that each year representative United States and Canadian fruit bodies held a meeting and decided what quantity of Canadian fruit could be exported to the U. S. market. Last year the figure was set at one million boxes from British Columbia, but this was reduced to 800,000 boxes by the Canadian Government, due to the short crop here and the possibility that the local markets could not be supplied. The position of export for the 1944 crop is at present uncertain.

Mer use, has spread through the town and over the orchards. There was no loss of stock or property from the break, and the extra moisture in yards and streets was not sufficient to cause alarm.

Chief injury was caused by a six-inch deposit of silt in the orchards, but it is expected that the effect of the break will be felt later in the summer, when water will be needed for irrigation.

The dam is an earth structure, and it is stated that examination two hours before the break failed to show any defect. The water poured through a hole 14 feet wide, and the cause of the failure is unknown. The dam held two years ago, when it had 28 feet behind it in comparison with 21 feet when it gave way on Sunday.

VETS PROTEST CAWSTON LAND TRANSACTION

Southern Legionnaires Call Upon Premier Hart To Cancel Deal

The Penitentiary, Oliver and Summerland branches of the Canadian Legion have issued the following statement addressed to Premier John Hart with reference to the Cawston land deal.

At a meeting held in the Canadian Legion Building, Penitentiary, on May 19th, representatives of the Penitentiary, Oliver and Summerland branches of the Canadian Legion met with Mr. Turnbull, chairman of the B.C. Land Settlement Board, and Mr. Hulbert, representing private interests, to hear further details of the sale of the Cawston Bench lands to private interests.

Having listened to all the details of this sale and explanations of the proposed development of these lands for growing hops for brewing interests, we have arrived at the following conclusions:

1st. That there has been an appalling lack of co-operation between the Government of B. C. and its various departments concerned and the Dominion Government and similar departments, on matters relating to rehabilitation.

2nd. That it has now been definitely established that the Dominion Government is keenly interested in ir-ri-gable lands for re-establishment of personnel in our armed services.

3rd. That, despite definite representations made by the B.C. Rehabilitation Board, members of the Legislative Assembly, other persons and public bodies, the sale of the Cawston lands was a very subtle project for a rehabilitation scheme, yet the B.C. Government ignored all this and disposed of these lands to private interests at the first opportunity.

4th. That all the evidence put forward and explanations given but confirmed our knowledge and belief that this block of land is ideally situated for an economical post-war development scheme for service men and women.

5th. Mr. Turnbull admitted that his department was still selling Government-controlled lands to private persons or interests, notwithstanding the public belief that all such lands were frozen in the interests of our service men and women.

That if justice is to be done to our men and women on active service, then there must be the fullest co-operation between the B.C. Government and the Dominion Government on all matters relative to rehabilitation.

In view of the above we are in honour bound to re-affirm our protest against the sale of these Government-controlled lands to private interests and to once again demand that this sale be stopped at once. That these lands are owned or controlled by the B.C. Government be held in reserve for post-war development by the Dominion Government or the B.C. Government, or both, for rehabilitation projects for the benefit of our men and women on active service.

OKANAGAN MISSION
 Wilkie Smith, of Vancouver, is the guest of B. T. Haverfield. Mr. Smith hopes to take up residence in the valley.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Dunlop and family, accompanied by C. Dunlop and Sgt. Hugh Wells, R.A.F., spent last weekend fishing at Dee Lake, where they enjoyed good sport.

Mrs. J. V. H. Wilson has as her guest for the May Day holiday her nephew, Terry Smith, of Penitentiary.

Capt. and Mrs. H. Sealy left yesterday for their new home at Deep Cove, Vancouver Island. The many friends they have made during their many years of residence in the Mission wish them good luck in their new home.

Professor David Murdoch, of the University of Saskatchewan, arrived last week to spend a two weeks holiday.

Having completed his course at Patricia Bay, Sgt. Hugh Wells, R.A.F., left yesterday for Montreal.

ANGLERS HAVE BUSY WEEK-END

Excellent Sport Reported By Anglers In Okanagan Lake

There were a record number of fishermen and fishermen out on Okanagan Lake last Sunday and fine catches were reported by most boats. Rainbows were plentiful all over the lake with two and three pound fish being taken by many.

"Willow leaf" lure was the killer, and those fishermen who used this tackle had a busy day. A lot of trout were lost as they were full of fight, and anglers who failed to keep a tight line saw the funny beauties throw the hook and hightail into deep water.

No record fish were reported as warmer weather has sent the big ones down deep. Some six pounders were caught, but the majority of the trout were smaller in size.

Fishermen who tried Woods Lake had little luck, with the Kokanee off their feed, and few fish were caught.

The dam is an earth structure, and it is stated that examination two hours before the break failed to show any defect. The water poured through a hole 14 feet wide, and the cause of the failure is unknown. The dam held two years ago, when it had 28 feet behind it in comparison with 21 feet when it gave way on Sunday.

LIQUOR FACTOR IN DELINQUENCY, SAYS W.C.T.U.

Mrs. Hurlburt Is New President Of Okanagan District

The Okanagan District convention of the W.C.T.U. took place in Kelowna on Thursday and Friday, May 25 and 26, the sessions being held in the First Baptist Church.

Delegates were present from six unions in this district, and comprehensive reports were given on all departments of temperance work. An encouraging aspect of these was the increasing interest in all Sunday and day schools in the positive benefit to children's healthy growth in this Valley by the educational approach to the work rather than the old "preaching" method.

Mrs. Hurlburt, of Vernon, was elected President for 1944-45. Magistrate T. F. McWilliams, as guest speaker on "Juvenile Delinquency," gave a thought-provoking address on the subject, pointing out that youth is imitative and follows the pattern of living laid down by the adults. He or she "hero-worships," and all adolescents need normal leadership as magistrates, he was coming to the conclusion that no good and much evil was done by the liquor traffic.

Mrs. Lade, Provincial President, pointed out welfare societies in Vancouver all conceded that liquor was responsible for the first step in the records of 80 per cent of delinquency, and it was the one agency most difficult to combat in starting them on a normal life. In the investigation of social diseases, the liquor traffic was most rampant while the social diseases were most prevalent.

A banquet was served in the First United Church on Friday night, when some sixty people enjoyed a splendid supper and a happy fellowship.

In closing, the W.C.T.U. hopes for a year of renewed interest and an enlightened aspect on the part of this district where they are working so unceasingly for the welfare of its youth.

PLAY STARTS IN COMMERCIAL LAWN BOWLING

Twelve Teams Competing In New League

The Commercial League of the lawn bowlers got under way this week with a flying start. Twelve teams in all are competing, four from the Rotary Club, two from the A.O.T.S. Club, and one each from the Elks, Kelowna Club, Canadian Legion, Sons of England, Gyros and American Legion.

Competition in the meet last Tuesday night was very keen, with several exciting finishes. Coming out on top were Rotary No. 1, Harry Blackborough skip; Rotary No. 2, Will Lloyd-Jones skip; Canadian Legion, Bob Willis skip; Sons of England, Bert Gibb skip; Junior Board of Trade, Jud Ribelin skip.

A.O.T.S. No. 1, Mort Holm skip, and the Gyros, skipped by Don Whitham played to a tie when rain drove them from the green.

Out-of-town spectators were heard to comment on the fine community spirit shown by all these clubs in such a splendid weekly get-together.

KELOWNA SWAMPS ARMY ON SUNDAY

Eight Miscues By Soldiers Don't Help In Loose Contest

The Kelowna baseball team chalked up their second straight victory on Sunday last by trouncing a Vernon Army nine 22-5.

Errors proved costly to the Army squad and accounted for a great many of the local runs. Kelowna batters hit freely, with slugger Pat Chapman collecting a home run and a triple.

Vernon gathered all their runs in the third inning, but from then until the eighth Luke Tostenson pitched masterful ball and held them well under control. Paul Bach then took over and finished the game in his usual fine style.

The pitcher who started for Vernon had very little control and, after hitting two local batters, was replaced by Nuysens, who pitched a fine, steady game but lacked support from the fielders.

Kelowna got 16 hits and made 22 miscues, while the Army chalked up eight errors, with 10 safeties.

Score by innings:
 Vernon 0 0 5 0 0 0 0 0 5
 Kelowna 4 1 5 0 1 5 6 2
 Batters: Kelowna—Tostenson, Bach and Kitch, Vernon: Bischoff, Nuysens and McInnis.

OPERETTA IS ENJOYED

High School Class Presents "Aunt Drusilla's Garden"

"Aunt Drusilla's Garden," the two-act operetta presented by the members of the Kelowna Junior High School special English class last Friday, brought hearty expressions of praise from an appreciative audience.

The plot of the play centres around a garden, the climax being a lawn party.

The cast included: Aunt Drusilla Rogers, a prim widow, Winifred Valenline; Aunt Prudence Rogers, her sister, Beulah Walrod; Nelda Alvenia Podger, their niece, Katie Germain; Pat, the gardener, Ken Lyon; Bob, the leader of the gang, John Sugars; Tad, a school boy, Gordon Carleton; Tiny Little, a school girl, Leah McKim; and chorus.

The intermission periods were filled in with two songs by the Junior High Choir, "Glad Hearts Adventuring" and "The Viking King," and a short skit, "Celestial has launched the greatest anti-dust campaign ever attempted by the Canadian Army. Dust control, first tried on a major scale at Camp Borsten last winter, proved highly effective in immobilizing the germs of air-borne diseases.

Picturesque scenery helped to make the program a complete success.

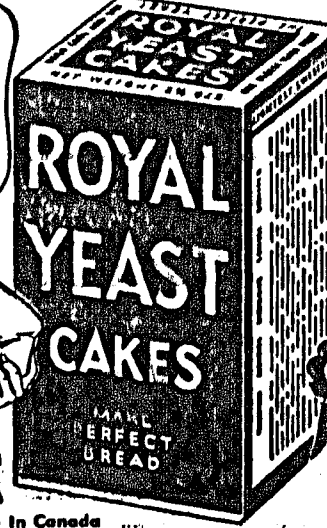
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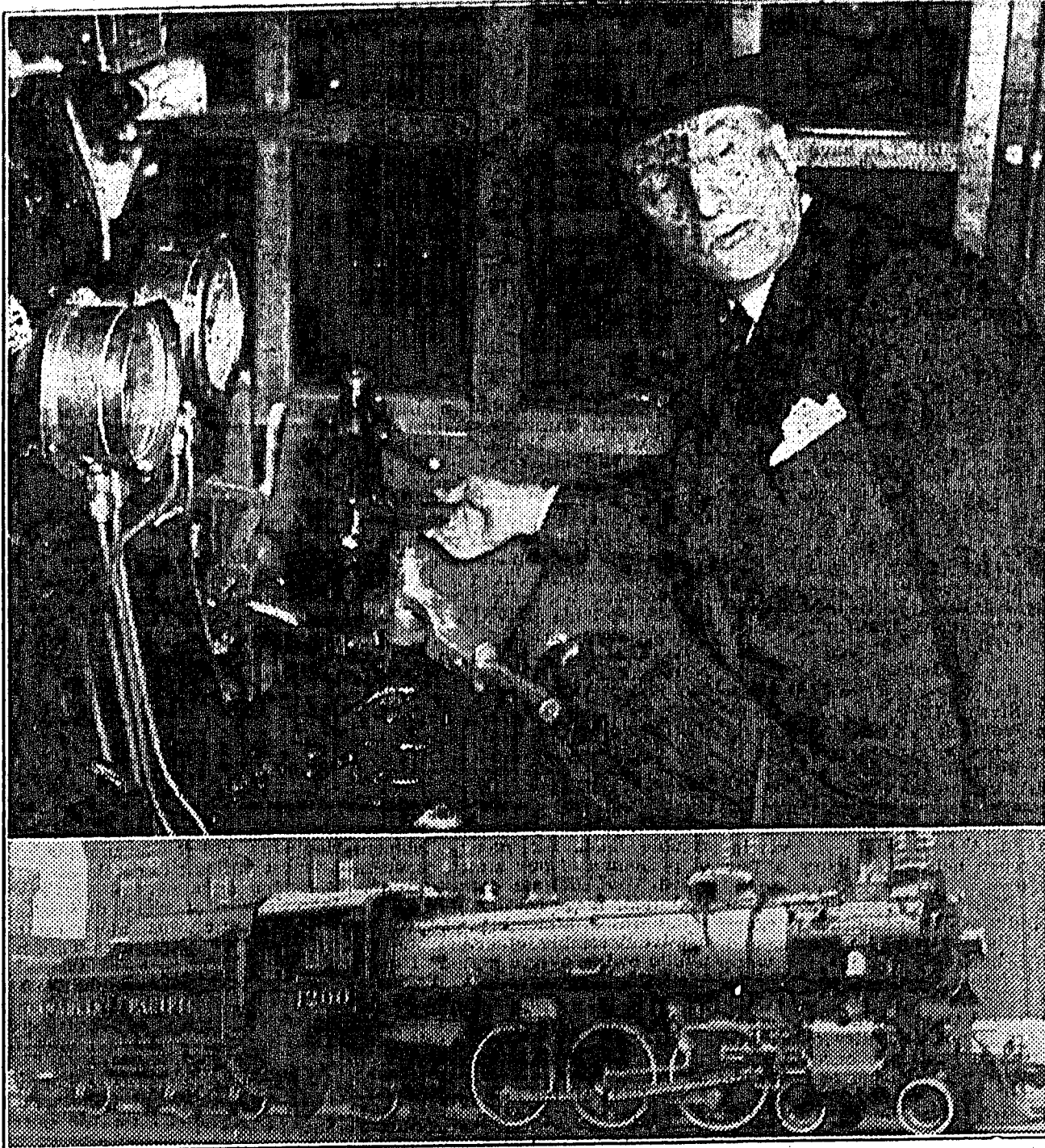
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PASSES AWAY IN HOSPITAL

Mrs. Emma Hemmerling, Of Glenmore, Dies After Long Illness

Mrs. Emma Hemmerling, wife of Mr. Fred Hemmerling, passed away early last Sunday morning, May 28, at the Kelowna General Hospital, after many years of suffering. She was born in Poland in July, 1897, emigrating to the Canadian prairies after the First World War, then to Kelowna about seven years ago and to the Glenmore district four years later. Besides her husband she leaves to mourn her loss four sons, Helmut, with the Army at Wainwright, Alberta; Otto, R.C.A.F. at Kamloops, and two young lads, William and Herbert, at home.

Pte. Helmut Hemmerling, who had been with the Army caravan on its way to Wainwright, Alberta, and his brother Otto, R.C.A.F., stationed at Kamloops, arrived home the first of the week, after hearing the sad news of their mother's death.

Mrs. Stocks, who had been staying at the home of her daughter, Mrs. G. H. Mowbray, for the past three months, was taken suddenly ill Tuesday of last week and is now a patient in the Kelowna General Hospital.

Pte. Sam Pearson, Jr., has been transferred from Red Deer to Hamilton, Ont., and is taking a course in electricity.

Robert Woods, R.C.A.F., of Edmonton, was a recent week-end visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Archie Loudoun, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Loudoun, Sr. returned home last Thursday after three weeks holiday spent with relatives and friends in Victoria and Vancouver.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Best, of Vernon, were visitors last Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Harden.

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Cawston Land Deal Will Be Revised, Says Premier Hart

Servicemen Will Be Protected—Ottawa Asked Stand On Irrigation

Because the Provincial Government wants ex-servicemen "to have everything necessary" when they return home after the close of hostilities, it will take definite steps in regard to the Cawston land deal, Bernard Webber, M.L.A., for Similkameen, stated following his return to Penikese after conferring with Premier John Hart in Victoria last week.

Mr. Webber said that the Premier had assured him that the Government would move in the matter as follows:

1. Ask Gordon Murchison, Director of Soldier Settlement and the Veterans' Land Act, for a definite statement of policy as to Ottawa's stand in regard to the Cawston area, and if it is prepared to proceed with irrigation there.

2. To re-open discussions with J. E. B. Hurlburt, of Sardis and Duncan, who purchased the property.

While it was stated that the Government did not wish to become involved in any irrigation scheme as costly as the Oliver project had been, the Premier did not entirely close the door on such schemes when he said "conditions, and therefore policy, might change in the future." However, it was stressed that nothing in this regard is planned for this year.

In discussing the matter with the Similkameen M.L.A., Premier Hart stated that the sale of the land to Mr. Hurlburt had been recommended to him by the Hon. A. Wells Gray, Minister of Lands, and William Turnbull, chairman of the B. C. Land Settlement Board.

Mr. Hart stated that he felt bound to follow recommendations, but he had questioned the price of ten dollars an acre which was placed on the 700-acre tract. However, it is said, the area was sold at this price. Webber explained that the Government had acted as it had done because of a statement attributed to Mr. Murchison that it was not the intention of Ottawa to settle veterans on land requiring irrigation.

As a consequence of the Murchison statement, the remaining 3,300 acres have been put on the reserve list. Mr. Hart was emphatic in stating that the Premier denied that the Government had been approached by any brewing interests. He suggested that the tract be repurchased, if necessary, to assure this objective.

The M.L.A. wanted the Federal Government to undertake the work, but, failing this, suggested that the B. C. officials handle the development. He did not favor private development on any grounds. Mr. Webber said that the Government takes a serious view of the situation and has discussed it at two cabinet meetings. Premier Hart stated that the Government had acted in good faith, particularly in the light of the accepted Ottawa policy in regard to land requiring irrigation.

The Cawston land deal has aroused protest from various Canadian Legion branches and boards of trade throughout the southern interior.

WAR PRISONER WRITES
A post card from J. M. Rogers, prisoner of war in Germany, has been received by the Kelowna Red Cross thanking the organization for comforts received. The message was on the usual printed card used for such communications.

FIRE DESTROYS RESIDENCE AT WESTBANK

Home Of Mr. And Mrs. Ira Howlett Burns Completely—Some Furniture Saved

On Monday morning, May 29, the two-story residence of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Howlett, of Westbank, was completely destroyed by fire. A spark from a nearby fire ignited the dry shingles on the roof and before the blaze could be extinguished it spread down into the insulation beneath. As fire fighting facilities in Westbank are poor nothing could be done to save the structure. Neighbors were quickly on the scene to assist in saving the contents and most of the first floor furniture was removed. The contents of the second story were practically a total loss. The house was covered by insurance.

J. Gelatly was a delegate from the Peachland-Westbank United Church to the recent Provincial Conference, held in Vancouver.

The recent heavy fall of rain in this district has been of inestimable value to the dry farmers. The alfalfa fields show a growth of about six inches in the past few days. A few farmers are cutting at the beginning of this week, but the majority plan to wait until the middle of the month to ensure a good first cut.

Range lands have grown greener since the rain, and cattle owners figure on plentiful feed for the summer, in spite of the dry spring.

Owing to the low level of the lake, pipe lines have had to be extended and in one case the entire pumping outfit had to be lowered to obtain the necessary flow of water to irrigate lakeshore fields.

The Westbank lakeshore has become well populated this year, since Mr. and Mrs. Syd. MacKay, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence MacKay and Mr. and Mrs. H. Stafford have built homes on the properties.

Spraying is in steady progress in Westbank, but there is a shortage of spraying outfits and men. One or two orchards have been unable to spray yet and others have been forced to skip a spray.

At a recent meeting of the Board of the Westbank Co-operative Growers a new Board of Directors was chosen, consisting of five members, F. Jones, J. Brown, Mrs. F. Clark and J. Maddock. The following week these five members elected Mrs. F. Clark as President.

Mrs. M. E. G. Pritchard and her daughter, "Bobby," returned last from a short visit to the Coast.

Mrs. H. Hardwick has had her two daughters visiting her during the past few weeks, following the departure of their husbands for overseas duty. Mrs. Sid Mitchell spent two weeks with her mother, leaving for her home in Victoria last Monday. Mrs. C. G. Mitchell, of Edmonton, and her small son will remain with Mrs. Hardwick for the duration.

Mrs. John Dobbin has returned from a short trip to the Coast.

The newly imported bees of the Westbank-Peachland Bee Association are progressing satisfactorily, according to the Provincial Apiarist, Mr. Turnbull, who has been making the rounds of bee owners during the past week. He has started his search for foul brood through this community and has discovered several infected apiaries, which he has been forced to destroy. Two cases of early disease of the queen bee amongst the new hives resulted in the rarity of a drone egg layer. One drone in each hive that had lost its queen was busily engaged in laying eggs but they all hatched out as drones, not a worker was hatched, and drones are useless for honey gathering.

BALL LEAGUE IS FORMED

Four Interior Teams Will Compete In New Loop

An Okanagan Valley-Mainline baseball league has been formed and a schedule of games drawn up, with Kelowna opening in Kamloops next Sunday.

Teams from Salmon Arm, Revelstoke, Kamloops and Kelowna are in the loop, and Revelstoke will meet Kelowna here on Sunday, June 11. The Revelstoke nines have always played heads-up ball, and a keen contest is expected.

The second home game on the locals' lot will be the following Sunday, June 18, when Salmon Arm will provide the opposition.

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The citation indicates that the well-known Kelowna sergeant displayed courage and leadership of a high order in an engagement on the Otona front. His tank led an attack that was being held up and destroyed machine gun posts and pockets of enemy resistance. In the final phases of the action the tank was cut off and under heavy fire.

Crew members were wounded, and Sgt. Gale held off enemy attacks until nightfall, when he safely evacuated the wounded through enemy patrols.

BASEBALL SUNDAY
Baseball fans will have an opportunity to watch a fast diamond contest next Sunday, when Kelowna tangles with a Vernon Army nine. The soldiers are reported to have some eastern stars in their line-up who will make the locals step all the way, and an all-right battle is in prospect.

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NURSES RECEIVE SALARY INCREASE

Kelowna Hospital Board Approves Substantial Advances

Increases in salaries for general nurses and supervisors were approved by the Kelowna General Hospital Board last week. They range from \$15.00 per month for general duty graduate nurses to \$100 per month for supervisors. In addition, living out allowances for those nurses who do not live in the hospital are under consideration. It is reported that the increases bring the Kelowna hospital in line with nursing salaries paid in leading institutions and would reduce the turnover due to nurses leaving for better paid positions elsewhere.

KELOWNA IN BYGONE DAYS

THIRTY YEARS AGO
Thursday, May 28, 1914

"The main body of 'E' Company, Rocky Mountain Rangers, went to Vernon on Sunday on the s.s. 'York' to put in annual camp training. Some 25 officers and men formed up at the old school on Richter Street (now the Armory) and marched to the wharf in full marching order. An advance party of a corporal and two privates left on Saturday morning by the 'Okanagan' to prepare tents, etc., for the arrival of the company in camp, which is said to be the largest ever held in British Columbia."

At a meeting of the Kelowna Junior Lacrosse Club, held on May 27th, the following officers were elected for the current year: President, Mayor J. W. Jones; Vice-President, R. F. Morrison; Honorary Vice-Presidents, F. R. E. DeHart, A. Day, A. E. Boyer; Secretary, Treasurer, C. Shaylor; Manager, E. C. McIntyre; Captain, A. D. Weddell. The club colors chosen were purple and white.

Three money by-laws, submitted to the ratepayers for approval on May 27th, passed with comparative little opposition, a small vote being polled. The number of votes necessary to carry each by-law was 45, and the results were as follows: No. 158, to raise \$3,500 for purchase of road-making machinery, for, 61; against, 13; spoiled, 1. No. 159, to raise \$2,000 for purchase of fire-fighting apparatus, for, 63; against, 9; spoiled, 3. No. 160, to raise \$12,000 for extension of electric lighting system, for, 66; against, 6; spoiled, 3.

About two thousand people attended the Victoria Day celebration at the Exhibition Ground on Monday, May 25th. The weather, although partly cloudy, was ideal for sports and the day proved very successful. Kamloops defeated Kelowna at baseball by 4 runs to none while a combination nine from the Kelowna High School and Rutland School beat the Kelowna Public School and Ellison School by 14 to 0.

TWENTY YEARS AGO
Thursday, May 29, 1924

"The classes at the Public School have since yesterday commenced again at 9 a.m., it having been found that the change made of holding school in the forenoon only (owing to unusually hot weather for May) was very trying to both the teaching staff and scholars."

"The work of placing septic tanks and other sanitary improvements at the tourist camp site in the City Park was begun on Tuesday, funds having been provided for this purpose by the Gyo Club. It is expected that the whole camp will be finished and ready for tourist traffic by the second week in June, including light and shelters."

Premier John Oliver addressed a large audience in the Empress Theatre on Thursday afternoon, May 22nd, in support of the candidature of C. B. Latta for the South Okanagan riding in the pending provincial election. The veteran Liberal leader was in good form and spoke trenchantly upon the policies of his administration.

Excellent programs of lectures, music and other entertainment were enjoyed by large audiences which filled the huge tent erected in the City Park for Chautauqua Week, from May 28th to 31st.

After an exceptionally dry April and May, heavy showers marred the enjoyment of the sports program carried out on Empire Day, Saturday, May 24th, under the auspices of the Kelowna Amateur Athletic Association. The amount of rain that fell did not interfere materially with the events, but the threatening aspect of the overcast sky and the showers that fell in the morning and afternoon deterred many people from attending and reduced the gate receipts by about \$100 as compared with Empire Day of 1923. Another blow was dealt at the finances of the Athletic Association by the electric power being cut off for a couple of hours in the evening, causing a reduction of about \$100 in the takings at the dance. Kelowna played visiting teams from Vernon at football, lacrosse and baseball. The football match was a walk-over for the home team by a score of 6 goals to none, but the lacrosse game was keenly fought from start to finish, victory resting with Kelowna by 2 goals to 1. As consolation for the two defeats, Vernon had an easy win at baseball by 11 runs to 4.

TEN YEARS AGO
Thursday, May 31, 1934

The final circular issued by the Okanagan Stabilization Board showed that the 1933 apple crop had been disposed of entirely. Over three and a half million boxes were handled by the Board. Distribution of McIntosh was made as follows: domestic shipments, 607,817 boxes; export, 680,267 boxes; dumped, 57,971 boxes; total shipments, 1,326,055 boxes. Other varieties: domestic shipments, 797,480 boxes; export, 1,314,354 boxes; dumped, 99,498 boxes; total shipments, 2,211,242 boxes.

The Growers' Stabilization Committee decided not to accept the invitation of the shippers and grower-shippers to appoint representatives to a joint committee to draft a plan for operation under the Natural Products Marketing Act, as a plan had already been drawn up by the Committee, providing for a Board of three growers and grower control of marketing.

Owing to continued warm weather, bathing was now in full swing at the Aquatic, the temperature of the water being up to 62 degrees.

Miss Connie Hickman, of the Kelowna Golf Club, won the Brewster Cup and the right to represent the Okanagan at the Banff open tournament, in the competition for the coveted trophy, played on the Kelowna course on May 26th and 27th. Seventeen ladies entered, and Mrs. H. V. Craig was runner-up.

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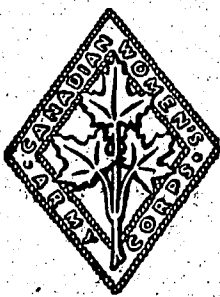
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Recruiting Officer Speaks To
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Last Friday morning, students of the Kelowna High School heard an address by Lieut. E. A. May, recruiting officer for the Okanagan and Kamloops areas. Principal W. J. LeGie introduced the speaker.
Lieut. May stressed the need of preparedness in times like these and stated that the Scout motto "Be Prepared" had never lost its significance.
He emphasized the need of the C.W.A.C. for trained personnel in occupations such as typists, clerks, store-keepers and cooks. He told the students that it was better to have recruits fresh from school rather than take trained women away from positions in civil life.
He described the Army training for boys of seventeen. These recruits are taught automotive mechanics, electrical work, or can take training as clerks, in draughting, or as machinists. The course is of 13 months duration, and the student receives a fine schooling which will fit him for a variety of civil occupations after the war.
Award until their attention was drawn to news of it in a Coast daily by friends in Summerland.
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Fruit Report

Poor Apple And Cherry Set Will Reduce Record Crops

Following is the latest report of the Provincial Horticultural Branch, covering crop news of Interior areas:

Kelowna
As reported May 25th: Since the last report there has been considerable cool weather. The rain during the past three days interfered with spray operations, but was welcomed by farmers generally. It was particularly beneficial to young vegetables, to newly transplanted plants of all kinds, and to pasture and hay fields.

Indications are that the raspberry yield will show an increase over last year.

Indications are that the apple set will not be as heavy as the blossom promised. In areas where there was frost, it will be light. Stone fruits generally promise a good crop. Cutworms have been more numerous than last year, and some growers have experienced considerable damage to field and vegetable crops. The rain has checked the grasshoppers, but they will undoubtedly prove troublesome again to growers in infested areas when the weather clears.

Westbank, Peachland, Naramata, Summerland
As reported May 23rd: During the past two weeks weather conditions were favorable for tree fruit growth, warm and dry, with some cool nights. Many growers have commenced irrigating. The vegetable grower has not fared so well, as onion fields especially show signs of moisture shortage. All this has now changed, for yesterday a steady rain fell, recording 7 of an inch, and it appears as though the same amount will fall today. This rain has been of great benefit to all crops and will help considerably in filling reservoir storage, which is needed in some sections.

The seasonal drop of the various fruits is now in progress. The cherry crop does not show up to prospects at blossom time and a heavy drop is taking place in many blocks. Apples are making their drop now and thinning has begun. Peaches have set well and will require much thinning, especially where pruning was light. Pears are showing a very fine crop and careful thinning is required. Prunes and apples are not advanced enough to say what the set will be. Calyx spraying for apple worm commenced early last week and progress was good. Lieut. May held up this important orchard operation. Many growers are behind in this work. Orchard pests are below normal at present, but peach leaf curl is showing in Westbank area, and cutworms are giving vegetable growers some concern.

Armstrong, Vernon, Osoyoos, Okanagan Centre, Windfall
As reported May 25th: Since our last report growing conditions for most crops have been quite good, and in the early part of the week, two days of excellent precipitation occurred and gave our soil much needed moisture. This will undoubtedly prove very beneficial to all crops.

In small fruits, strawberries came through the blossom period in good condition and the set promises a good yield. Raspberries are showing a thrifty growth and promise of heavy blossom. The black currant acreage in the Armstrong district is this year showing considerable permanent injury to the bushes, principally due to the hard winter of a year ago. Healthy patches now in full blossom show promise of good yields if no serious setback occurs before the harvest. The total crop, however, will be below normal owing to the extent of injured bushes. Grapes are making excellent growth and show promise of very early harvest.

In tree fruits, the heaviest blossom in the history of the district is now past, and the blossoming period was completed without any serious setback from weather conditions. It is too early at present to get an idea of the general set, but the early varieties such as Wealthy and Duchess have set very heavily. McIntosh and pruning are showing signs of a heavy blossom slough, but later varieties are not at a stage where any opinion can be formed. In the stone fruit, peaches and apricots have set extremely heavy. The sweet cherry crop is not uniform, some blocks showing medium to heavy set, while others are light to medium. No definite estimate will be available until the storing period is past. Pears in general have set the heaviest and most uniform crop in years throughout the district.

In the vegetable crops, the lack of soil moisture was retarding development, but with present moisture conditions and the addition of irrigation there should be rapid growth from now on. Wheat and reception of late potatoes, all vegetable crops are now in the ground. There should be a small movement of head lettuce from the Armstrong district within the next week or ten days, and from then on the tonnage will increase.

In field crops, the recent precipitation should greatly improve development in grains, hay and pastures, and the grains and pastures are certainly in need of this moisture. In the dried pea acreage there are a number of very excellent stands, while others are quite patchy on account of dry soil conditions hindering proper germination. Here again recent rains will greatly improve the situation.

The general pest situation is creating considerable concern, as flea beetles, root maggots, aphids and grasshoppers are generally distributed in almost every section. Control measures are being applied throughout the district for these various pests, but lack of dusting machinery is slowing up the work. The calyx spray for codling moth control is under way and should be completed immediately. Growers will be well advised to follow the spray schedule closely in application of the first three or four broad sprays, as there is at present a heavy emergence of moths.

Pentlton, Kaleden, Oliver, Osoyoos, Keremeos

As reported May 23rd: Since the last news letter the weather has been rather cold, with wind and heavy rains.

All fruits, with the exception of cherries, have set well. Although some growers report that apples apparently are not setting as heavily

as the bloom indicated. The cherry set throughout the district is only fair. The first spray for codling moth has been badly delayed and in many orchards for codling moth spraying has been done to date. Up to the end of last week moth captures have been high, but with the cold, wet weather the catch has dropped off.

Tomato and cantaloupe plantings are about finished, with an increased acreage, particularly of cantaloupes. The Zucca melon acreage will be slightly heavier than last year.

So far there has been very little emergence on grasshopper beds, and it is not expected that baiting will be done for about another week or ten days.

Salmon Arm, Sorrento and Main Line Points
As reported May 23rd: Up to the week-end, day temperatures were moderately warm, with cool nights, and very dry conditions prevailed. Since then, however, heavy rains have occurred and it has been quite cold. Soil moisture conditions are now very much improved and, if the present rainy period is followed by warm weather, plant growth should be rapid.

Small fruit prospects are none too good, and a decrease in tonnage as compared with last year may be expected. Considerable bud injury is now showing in raspberries, the "Washington" being a notable exception, and strawberry plants are not showing their usual vigor.

In the orchards the bloom is off, and the calyx spray is being applied, while at Kamloops this is completed. During the blossoming period weather conditions were favorable for a heavy set of fruit, and if the materializes, thinning operations, in view of the shortage of labor, will have to be started at the earliest possible moment. Cherries appear to have set very well and crop prospects are excellent at present.

At Kamloops and Ashcroft the growth of vegetable crops generally is somewhat slow, owing to the cool weather conditions. Tomato plants are making slow growth, but as there has been no frost damage to date, no replanting has been necessary. Fall set onions are making good growth now. Potato planting is about completed, and the balance of the 1943 crop will be shipped out by the end of this week.

Asparagus is moving in volume but has been checked by the cool weather. Some shipments are moving to the cannery.

Grasshoppers are causing damage to some crops at Kamloops, but an effort to control them is being made. If the weather conditions later in the year are favorable, there is a possibility that serious trouble may result.

Kootenay and Arrow Lakes

As reported May 23rd: Since our last report the weather has been somewhat cooler with light showers throughout the district, but generally favorable for most crops. The season at this time is a week earlier than last year.

Strawberries in most sections will be in full bloom by the 25th. Early varieties in early sections were in full bloom on May 20th. First movement of this fruit should be about the 15th of June. Production will be light throughout, as there is only a small acreage in bearing. Some increase in the new planting has been noted. Raspberries have wintered well and growth has come on very fast up to this time. Fruit buds are now showing and a good crop is expected, with some increase over the 1943 production. Currants and gooseberries are making good progress, but the former, but more so, are suffering from the small acreage in production.

Sweet cherries appear to have set very well, as have peaches and apricots. The weather was excellent for pollination of this fruit, as it was for peaches, plums and pears and most varieties of apples. Only the late blooming varieties of apples in the late sections have had some unfavorable weather for pollination. Bloom indicates a very heavy crop of almost all tree fruits, with plums and pears on the light side.

The pink spray for apple scab is now under way in early sections and will be completed by the first of June. So far it has not been a bad year for the development and spread of apple scab, but more favorable for codling moth infestation.

Creston
As reported May 22nd: After a warm spell during the first half of the month, the past week has been cooler with light precipitation. Up to the present precipitation has been below normal and growers are concerned over the prospects of enough irrigation for the season's needs. Many have started irrigation, as they are afraid of severe restrictions later in the year.

Grand Forks

As reported May 23rd: The weather continues cold and stormy, with some snow on the hills. Small fruits give indication of being slightly heavier than last year.

Tree fruit blossom is almost over. A heavy crop of apples is expected, and so far the district has escaped late frost. Rain has interrupted calyx spraying.

ABSENTEES ALL REPORT

Warning Results In Absent Reserves Answering Roll

Warnings of possible legal consequences if they failed to report for training at the two-weeks summer camp at Vernon resulted in the belated appearance of delinquent B.C.D. Reserves, according to reports.

The men reported as required by last Tuesday, and the Kelowna squadron is at full strength except for a few members who were granted exemption for essential work.

Officers and men returning on leave state that they are enjoying the special training and that the quarters and food are excellent. Conclusion of the two weeks grind should find them in perfect condition.

OKAN. GROWERS ARE PLANNING ACCOMMODATION

Housing For Emergency Orchard Labor Being Arranged

A series of meetings were held in the Okanagan Valley last week by W. MacGillivray, Provincial Director, Dominion-Provincial Emergency Farm Labor Service, and Col. E. J. Woods, Agricultural Adviser for British Columbia to the National Selective Service Board. These men, with Everard Clarke, Area Supervisor, held meetings with local War Agricultural Production Committees and Placement Officers at several Valley points.

Before he left the Valley to attend the conference of western representatives of the Dominion and the provinces in regard to farm labor, Mr. MacGillivray stated that he was "most impressed" by the efforts of growers to provide suitable accommodation for people who will be needed to harvest the crops.

Eric Lohlein reported to the Penitlon meeting, at which were representatives from several South Okanagan points, that over fifty cottages had been built in the Osoyoos area to shelter harvesters. He said in some cases the cottages were very well equipped with electric lights, beds or cots, good stoves and a few showers with hot water. All were provided with fuel and plenty of fresh drinking water.

In the Penitlon and Naramata areas, Mr. MacGillivray and his assistants visited several districts where growers are building adequate accommodation to shelter their harvesters with comfort. At Naramata he was informed by the directors of the Naramata Co-operative that fruit growers were well aware of the importance of providing suitable accommodation for their help.

In West Summerland, W. J. Beattie and Mr. MacGillivray inspected hotel accommodation which is being provided by the growers, at their own expense, for harvesters expected in that area.

Considerable progress in providing accommodation is being made around Kelowna, according to information given to Mr. MacGillivray and Col. Woods.

Some indications as to the problem facing fruit growers in the Okanagan at the present time of labor crisis throughout the Dominion were given to meetings by Mr. MacGillivray. He made a report based on a survey made by the Dominion-Provincial Emergency Farm Labor Service on 700 farms.

That the problem of harvesting fruit crops is a very difficult one is indicated by the sharp peak in labor demand and equally precipitous slump in a matter of days. During the month of May a total of only 34 additional people are required for spraying to be added to steady help employed on a year round basis. In June the number of extra workers rises to a total of 1,572. During the first two weeks of July, at the time of cherry picking, the peak is hit. Then 2,709 people, additional to steady workers and growers' families, are needed to take care of harvesting cherries and thinning. This drops almost 1,000 in a few days, and only 1,729 extra helpers are needed at the end of July.

August is a quiet month and most of the emergency workers will be idle, as throughout the month only approximately 1,000 additional people are required. The demand increases during the next two weeks of September to 1,792 and reaches its fall peak in the last two months of September, with 2,646 harvesters required to handle the crop. In the month of October the demand falls to 2,327. There are two mountain peaks of labor requirements and one flat, low-lying valley in the month of August. The peaks occur during the first part of July and the last part

RED CROSS CORPS OVERSEAS UNITS

Nineteen B.C. Girls Are Serving In Britain

The Red Cross Corps has listed nine more B. C. girls during the past month for service overseas. These girls later will join the other ten B. C. girls now serving abroad. Altogether, the overseas detachment numbered 147 in April, with 133 working in Great Britain in Maple Leaf Clubs, Canadian General Hospitals, overseas headquarters of the Canadian Red Cross and in B. C. House. These girls are general workers, cooks, recreational guides, clerks, V.A.D.s, drivers, accountants and switchboard operators.

of September. It is these sharp, sudden calls for help which are going to create grave problems for fruit growers, according to Mr. MacGillivray.

Three girls are at St. Dunstan's, where blind soldiers are looked after, and fourteen went to theatres of operations as welfare workers. Corps is represented by three members in Newfoundland.

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HITHER AND YON

Miss Gwen Macdonald was a visitor in Penticton on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Hughes, Penticton, spent the week-end in Kelowna, the guest of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Hughes, Pendozi Street.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Millar, Victoria, arrived in Kelowna on Wednesday and are the guests of Mrs. R. H. Wilson, Riverside Avenue.

Mrs. George Bell, Vancouver, returned to her home on Monday after spending the past month visiting her daughter, Mrs. R. H. Wilson, Riverside Avenue.

Mrs. F. R. E. DeHart returned from the East recently, where she had spent the past two years. Mrs. DeHart expects to take up residence at her home on Lake Avenue shortly.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Reinhardt, Oliver, are holidaying in Kelowna this week, guests of the Willow Inn.

The members of the Kelowna Women's Business and Professional Club held their closing meeting of the spring season at the Willow Inn, on May 28th, at which there was a full attendance. After a short business meeting, conducted by Mrs. G. D. Herbert, the President, the members were entertained with a most interesting talk by Mrs. H. Morris, who spoke of her experiences in China, Singapore and Iraq. At the close of the evening's activity tea was served.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. DesBrisay, Penticton, were visitors in Kelowna for several days during the past week, guests of the Royal Anne Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Johnson, 119 Glen Avenue, announce the engagement of their only daughter, Margaret Elizabeth, to F.O. Donald G. B. McKay, R.C.A.F., only son of Mr. and Mrs. Brice A. McKay, Winnipeg. The marriage will take place at Winnipeg on June 24th, 1944.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Jackman, Vancouver, are visitors in Kelowna this week, guests of the Royal Anne Hotel.

Miss Sheila Hampson, who is training for a nurse at Victoria, is spending her holidays visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Hampson, Vimy Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Long, Oliver, spent several days visiting in Kelowna during the past week.

Mrs. W. Charlton, Kamloops, has returned to her home after spending two weeks' holiday in Kelowna, a guest of the Willow Inn.

A special meeting of the Business Girls' Circle of the First United Church was held on Monday evening, May 28th, at the home of Miss C. Druley, when the guest speaker was Mrs. T. Adams, who was recently repatriated from Japan on the s.s. Gripsholm.

Mrs. L. DeLong, Chilliwack, is holidaying in Kelowna, a guest of the Willow Inn.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Hatch, Prince George, are guests of the Willow Inn this week.

At the last meeting of the Anglican W.A., held on May 19th, it was decided to once again hold the annual flower show in the Parish Hall. The customary stalls of home cooking and needlework will have a variety of articles for sale and tea will be served during the afternoon. The affair is being held earlier than in past years to try and improve the variety and quality of the exhibits.

Second Officer E. E. Higgs, Merchant Navy, and Mrs. Higgs, the former Norma Burr, were visitors in Kelowna for several days during the past week, a guest of the Royal Anne Hotel.

Mrs. F. H. Wright and Miss D. Wright, Vancouver, are holidaying in Kelowna, guests of the Willow Inn.

Miss Hazel Doherty has returned to her home in Edmonton after spending a two week holiday in Kelowna, a guest of the Willow Inn.

Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Meredith, Vancouver, are holidaying in Kelowna, guests of the Royal Anne Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Larson, Kamloops, spent the week-end in Kelowna, guests of the Willow Inn.

Mrs. L. Orr-Ewing has returned to her home in Vernon after spending a holiday visiting friends in Kelowna.

Miss Gwen Baldwin, Penticton, was a visitor in Kelowna during the past week, a guest of the Royal Anne Hotel.

Miss Ella Paterson, Edmonton, arrived in Kelowna last week to spend several weeks' holiday here, a guest of the Willow Inn.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Shaw, Vancouver, were guests of the Royal Anne Hotel last week.

Mrs. H. Holliday, Vancouver, was a guest of the Royal Anne Hotel last week.

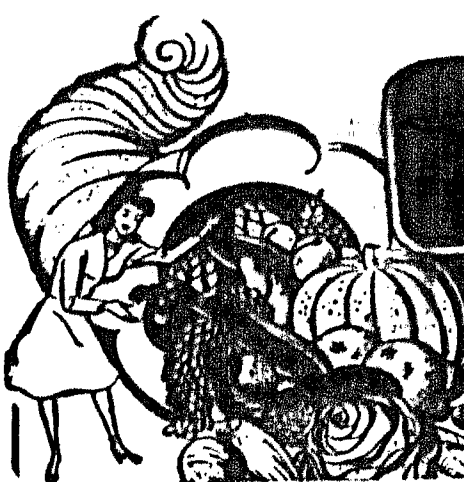
Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Brown have returned from a ten day motor trip to the Kootenays, where the former was on a business trip.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Meek, Salmon Arm, were visitors in Kelowna for several days during the past week.

Mrs. J. T. Appleton left on Tuesday evening for Powell River, where she will remain for the next month.

Mrs. J. Webster, New Westminster, is a visitor in Kelowna this week, a guest of the Royal Anne Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Max dePuyffer and Miss E. Palmer left on Saturday to spend a week's holiday fishing at Little River.



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HINTS ON FASHIONS



ROSE-SPRIGGED NIGHTDRESS

By Grace Thorncliffe

Pale blue rayon sheer sprigged with little deep pink roses makes this pretty nightdress that goes in for a bra bodice above a cut-out midriff section. The pretentious shoulder straps are of Venice type lace dyed pale blue to match the fabric. The set-in belt ties in a bow in back.

Capt. and Mrs. J. Snyder, Vernon, spent the week-end in Kelowna, a guest of the Royal Anne Hotel.

Mrs. B. Bordessa and Mrs. Fletcher Winter, the former Dorothy and Margaret Denison, daughters of the late Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Denison, former Kelowna residents, are spending a holiday of two weeks at the Kumbly Court, Kelowna. They now reside in Vancouver.

Mrs. E. Murrell and her two children, Richard and Glenda, will arrive in Kelowna this week, from their home in Winnipeg to spend three months with the former's parents, Mayor and Mrs. G. A. McKay, Pendozi Street.

Mrs. Robin Kendall and her daughter have returned from a stay of three weeks at Kamloops.

Mrs. Elsa Nordman was a business visitor in Penticton during the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Murray Inch returned on Monday to their home in Vancouver, after spending several days in Kelowna as guests of the Royal Anne.

WOMEN SHOULD HAVE INTEREST IN GOVERNMENT

Mrs. T. Rolston, M.L.A., Urges Formation Of Discussion Groups

On Tuesday evening, Mrs. Tilly Rolston, M.L.A., Vancouver, addressed a meeting for women only, in the I.O.O.F. Hall, when she gave a comprehensive talk on the part women should take now and in the future in regard to the governing of Canada.

Mrs. Stella Gummow, Reeve of Peachland, introduced the speaker, who, in her opening remarks, stated that there are many things that women should be doing at the present time, and that the main thing was to take an active interest in the government of the country, as "loyalty is not enough."

Government has entered into the lives of the women of Canada in the form of rationing, and for the most part women have co-operated splendidly and will continue to do so, make democracy work, one has to have a firm hold on the past, a clear view of present needs and an insight into the future. The women of Canada need to begin to think as the present, and as the future, but the main thing was to take an active interest in the government of the country, as "loyalty is not enough."

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MRS. RAMSEY PASSES AWAY

Survived By Husband And Ten Children

Mrs. Ophelia Mary Ramsey passed away in the Kelowna General Hospital last Sunday, May 28, after a short illness. She was born in the State of Mississippi, came to Canada thirty-three years ago and had resided in the Okanagan during the past eight years.

She is survived by her husband, engineer at Canadian Cannery, Ltd., and ten children.

Funeral services for the late Mrs. Ramsey will be held today from the Pentecostal Church, Pastor P. S. Jones officiating.

PENTICTON GROWERS LEVY FOR HOUSING

Half-Cent Per Box Approved To Provide Emergency Accommodation

The possibility of having to provide camp facilities for imported orchard labor, rushed into the district to meet peak harvest demands, was faced and met by Penticton growers last week, when a hundred strong, they voted in favor of a box levy to provide funds for labor accommodation other than that already available in individual orchards. Over a hundred growers, including many women, orchard owners, attended the specially called B.C.F.G.A. Local meeting in the I.O.O.F. Hall to hear Placement Officer H. K. Whitmer outline the Penticton and to participate in the discussion, which gave every indication that orchardists are prepared to co-operate to the utmost to assist the 1944 crop is harvested.

The meeting passed a resolution designed to provide funds for accommodation for a sudden influx of outside workers, should their assistance be needed to get the fruit into the packing houses. Its text was:

"That this meeting request the packing houses to make a deduction of not more than half a cent per packed box on apples, pears and crab-apples, and not more than one-quarter of a cent per packed box on soft fruits, for the purpose of financing any labor accommodations."

A second resolution followed, designating the Agriculture committee of the Board of Trade as the administrator of any such funds raised.

The new levy is in addition to that already made on growers to meet their share of the cost of the labor office in Penticton. This assessment amounts to 1/10 of a cent a box for stone fruits and 1/20 of a cent for apples per packed box. It was stressed that the latter levy is made on growers in Penticton, Kaledon and Naramata, since all these areas make use of the labor office. However, the additional assessment applies only to Penticton orchardists, each one of whom must now give an individual authorization before the actual deduction in this respect can be made by the Penticton packing houses.

Jack Kennedy, who had been a patient in the Kelowna General Hospital for the past few weeks, has returned to his home on Abbott Street.

Confers Here



GEORGE H. BAILLIE

popular young Canadian Pacific Railway officer, who recently returned to British Columbia to become General Superintendent of this district, and who visited Kelowna last week to confer with officials of B.C. Tree Fruits Ltd. regarding the handling of this year's crop in the Okanagan. Mr. Baillie is well known here as, among other posts he has held, he has been Superintendent of the Vancouver and Revelstoke divisions of the C.P.R.

RUTLAND BOMBED BRITONS' AUCTION

Successful Sale And Tea In Aid Of Funds Last Thursday

The Rutland Bombed Britons committee held a very successful community auction in aid of their fund-raising efforts last Thursday afternoon. The auction was held at the Community Hall by a local auctioneer. There was a large attendance and the bidding was spirited. Afternoon tea was served by the ladies and the sale of refreshments augmented the proceeds considerably. The net proceeds were in excess of \$100.00, with some donations still to come from parties unable to contribute articles for sale.

The Women's Association of the Rutland United Church met at the home of Mrs. A. W. Gray for the regular meeting on Friday afternoon, May 26. The ladies made arrangements to hold a straw hat social at the church grounds on June 22. Mrs. George Cross led the devotional period. Refreshments were served by the hostess at the close of the meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Angle, of Vancouver, are visiting at the home of Mrs. Angle's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Axel Eutin.

Mrs. R. B. MacLeod left on Monday to attend the Women's Institute convention in Vancouver.

Jack Boyd returned last week from a business trip to his ranch in the Cariboo district.

George Day has sold his orchard on the Belgo Bench to J. Pollatin.

Rev. and Mrs. J. A. Pettie returned on Friday from Vancouver.

The executive of the Rutland B.C.F.G.A. Local met at the home of the President, A. L. Baldock, on Thursday evening last, to consider the matters of labor, wages and a local placement office. No decision was reached on any of these matters, but it was decided to hold a meeting of the Local on Wednesday, June 14, by which time the growers would be in a position to know whether they were going to have a heavy crop or not. Indications are that the set of the blossom is going to be disappointing, and there may not be much thinning to do.

Cpl. James Money, of the 2nd (R) Battalion, R.M.R., who is attending the Reserve Army camp in Vernon with the Roseland platoon, spent the week-end visiting his sister, Mrs. A. W. Gray.

Mrs. Wm. McDonald has been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alf Miller, of Peachland, returning home on Sunday.

Lieut. Bert Horwood, of Calgary, who recently returned from overseas, has been a visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Campbell during the past week, returning on Sunday to Calgary.

Mrs. R. B. Spears and young son, Tommy, of Vancouver, are visiting at Mrs. Spears' daughter, Miss Dorothy Spears, of the Rutland school staff.

KELOWNA AIRMAN DESCRIBES RAIDS OVER GERMANY

Ft. Sgt. Louis Bean Says Berlin And Kassel Toughest

WITH THE R.C.A.F. BOMBER GROUP OVERSEAS—Berlin and Kassel are the two "hot spots" in the operational tour of Ft. Sgt. Louis Bean, husky Kelowna, B. C., rear gunner of the Ghost squadron, who was a railroad fireman prior to his enlistment.

"They were both tough," recalled Ft. Sgt. Bean. "We were over Berlin the first time the fighters used flares and it sure startled us for a moment. We were a bit late getting there and there were flares all along our path. Jerry was cutting in and out with JU 88's, ME 109's and FW 190's. They were weaving and tearing in and out several times our aircraft was boxed in with the flares. The skipper really had to be on the job that night."

The rear gunner admitted that he (like his skipper) had to be very much on the alert. "You have to be watching every second out there, even when there aren't any fighters around. It's that much worse when they do show up but it's getting it sounds like everybody in the aircraft is on the job keeping an eye open," he stated.

The Kassel trip was different from the Berlin run chiefly because the fighters came at the bombers on the way out. "There were swarms of them in the skies after we bombed," said Bean. "You could see combats going on all around us, but some how or other none of the Jerries picked on us. All we got that night was a flak hole from the ground defences."

Ft. Sgt. Bean has had a look at the defences over most of the major German targets. From his tail-gun position he has seen spots like Berlin, Hamburg, Leipzig, Kassel, Nuremberg, Milan, Mannheim, Frankfurt, Stuttgart and Magdeburg showered with tons of explosives from aircraft of the R.C.A.F. Bomber Group, and his most vivid sight of all was on the way back from Hamburg.

"The sky that night was just a mass of fiery red flame and dirty black smoke," he said. "I could see it for miles after mile after we left the target."

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There will be no dance following our entertainment this year, nor will any refreshments be sold to the public. The visiting Scouts and Cubs will be served refreshments after the entertainment by our Mothers' Auxiliary.

Tickets for the entertainment seem to be going well, but a great many more can be sold, and we would ask, therefore, that Scouts and Cubs selling the tickets extend their efforts instead of selling the same people many times over. The usual prize of passes to the moving picture theatre will be awarded to the Scout selling the most tickets, who will share his prize with his Cub assistant. We are able to do this through the kindness and co-operation of Mr. Harper, of the Empress Theatre.

As a splendid illustration of what is embodied in our sixth Scout Law, we print the following item which appeared in last Saturday's edition of the Vancouver Daily Province: "Plunging into the Fraser River at 5 a.m. today, Vernon McMaster, 17, of Abbotsford, rescued a farmer's dog struggling in the swift water and swam to the other side. 'The river is wide and has treacherous cross-currents at Whonnock. Few swimmers have attempted the crossing.'"

thy Spears, of the Rutland school staff.

Sec. Lieut. A. W. Gray, of the 9th (R) Armoured Regiment (B.C.D.) arrived on Sunday morning for Vernon to attend the second week of the Reserve Army camp.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

K. C. MACDONALD

Box 609,

Kelowna, May 25, 1944.

To the Editor, Kelowna Courier: May I confirm my statements made by phone this date with re-

spect to my sincere appreciation of your editorial re K. C. MacDonald, as contained in your today's issue of The Courier.

Over a period of several years the Vancouver Sun, contrary to its well known record for inconsistency, has never missed an opportunity in and out of season of criticizing the Hon. K. C. MacDonald. Criticism from such a source has been in the past, and is today construed as a true compliment.

Any views expressed herein must, of necessity, be considered purely personal. It would not, however,

be an overstatement to say that I believe they are concurred in by the large majority of fruit and vegetable producers of this province. These producers, I feel certain, recognize and appreciate the worth and value of Dr. MacDonald's long service and outstanding assistance to them in their effort to do away with the ruinous internal competition which existed among them previous to the adoption of Centralized Marketing, the benefit of which the Vancouver Sun has shown no sign of recognizing to date.

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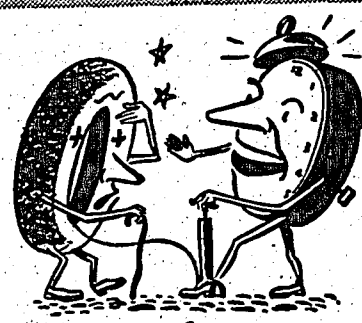


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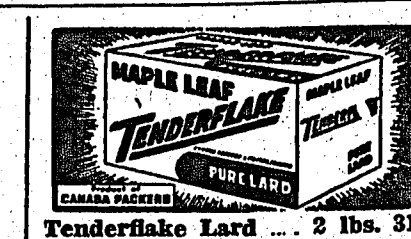
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